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REPORT

—OF THE—

SELECTMEN

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—OF THE—

TOWN OF MONTEREY,

GIVING AN ACCOUNT OF THE PECUNIARY AFFAIRS OF THE TOWN,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 5th, 1864.

To which is appended the Report of the School Committee.

TREASURY,	*DR.*
To balance on hand at last settlement,	$200 00
" of dog fund.	27 00
Received of Lyman Thomson, Collector in 1861,	44 05
" John G. Mansir, " 1862,	939 17
" from State School Fund,	33 40
" Anson Langdon, borrowed,	100 00
" Hyland Dowd, "	100 00
" R. R. Brewer, "	500 00
" Interest on Isaac Harmon's note, for three years,	9 00
" " Nathan Upham's note,	3 08
" " John Benedict's "	3 93
" " Chauncey Langdon's note,	16 50
" " John G. Mansir's "	5 72
" " " "	8 40
" " Jason Langdon's "	14 29
" " Cyrus Heath's "	4 00
" Principal on Jason Langdon's "	256 00
" " Cyrus Heath's "	143 35
" Interest on Town "	12 00
" " "	10 50
" " Lester Thomson's note for two years,	12 00
" John H. Langdon, Collector in 1863,	3,310 50
" A. J. Fargo for Dog Licences,	36 90
" State Aid reimbursed,	377 13
" Bounty paid soldiers reimbursed,	3,300 00
	$9,466 02

TREASURY, *CR.*

By cash paid School District, No. 1,	$133 78	
" " " " 2,	110 00	
" " " " 3,	30 00	
" " " " 4,	15 00	
" " " " 5,	48 87	
" " " " 6,	67 00	
" " " " 7,	75 00	
" " " " 8,	77 50	
" " " " 9,	51 00	
		$608 15

Extra Repairs on Roads.

Paid H. H. Holley for plank for bridge in Dist. No. 1,	4 17	
Francis Hubbard for work on road, " "	11 22	
Sylvester Root for work on bridge, " "	2 00	
C. D. Langdon for work on road, " No. 3,	3 57	
" " building Sawmill bridge, "	50 00	
Edmund Curtis for work on road, " "	4 50	
Albert Rewey, " " " "	1 25	
O. H. Munson, " " " No. 5,	4 00	
Harvey Johnson, " " " "	7 62	
Jonathan Wright, " " No. 6,	5 30	
William P. Turner, " No. 7,	9 84	
		$[illegible]

Paid John G. Mansir for services as collector in 1862,	14 50	
C. E. Heath, " School Committee in 1863,	7 66	
L. J. Townsend, " " " " "	12 00	
Samuel Thomson, " Assessor in 1863,	13 50	
Cornish Hitchcock, " 15.75, and cash paid 1.19,	16 94	
Thomas Miner, " Assessor in 1862,	3 75	
L. J. Townsend, " Selectman in 1863,	15 00	
" " " Recruiting,	13 35	
" " cash paid,	25 75	
" " services as Overseer of poor,	3 00	
R. R. Brewer for " Selectman, 9.45, cash paid	17 45	
O. H. Munson, " "	1 75	
" " " Overseer of poor,	3 75	
Paid A. J. Fargo, Town Clerk, making Records, 5.04, for Blank Books, express fee, &c., 6.89	11 84	
John G. Mansir for services as Treasurer,	12 00	
C. E. Heath for printing School Reports, 1862-3,	5 30	
Cushing & Rogers for blank orders,	2 00	
Newton Brewer, for cash paid J. Dewey,	1 00	
		$188 5[illegible]

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TREASURY, *CR.*

State Aid Paid.

William Gilmore,	$96 00	Mary E. Dowd,	$24 00
Chas. Chadwick,	48 00	Elijah Mosley,	44 00
Angeline M. Carley,	108 00	Elizabeth Gover,	76 00
Fannie C. Morse,	24 00	Mrs. J. H. Maxwell,	72 00
Mercy Harmon,	24 00	Francis Wells,	23 00
Lucinda Curtis,	48 00	J. Noke's children,	20 00
Sarah A. Sperry,	72 00	Mary A. Swan,	18 00
Eliza W. Thomson,	72 00	Maria J. Swan,	18 00
Sarah A. Judd,	48 00	Sarah C. Dowd,	108 00
			$943 00

Expense of Poor.

Paid Charles Farnham for support of John Farnham,	82 50	
John G. Mansir for house rent for Mrs. Sperry,	5 00	
O. L. Mansir, sundries furnished Mrs. Sperry,	86 67	
P. Miner, digging graves for H. Sperry and J. Farnham,	4 50	
R. R. Brewer, for digging two graves,	2 50	
" " sundries furnished Mrs. Sperry,	3 75	
A. J. Rising, for medical attendance on J. Farnham,	1 00	
" " " " Harmon Sperry,	35 00	
Reuben Dowd, for wood for Mrs. Maxwell,	3 00	
" " coffin for Harmon Sperry,	10 00	
" " and Shroud for John Farnham,	10 67	
J. Andrus for wood for Mrs. Sperry,	8 00	
L. J. Townsend, " "	2 12	
Parsons Minor for digging grave for Mrs. Farnham,	1 50	
Isaac Benedict, for coffin for Dina Clark,	7 25	
		$263 46

Paid John G. Mansir, Trustee of Meetinghouse Society,	100 00	
Albert Tryon, sealer of Weights and Measures,	5 00	
For revenue and postate stamps,	1 50	
John H. Langdon, for damage done by dogs,	12 00	
William H. Cheney, " "	19 00	
M. D. Mansir, Interest,	6 00	
C. W. Brett, "	3 60	
W. Bidwell, "	21 00	
A. S. Mansir, "	11 40	
R. N. Couch, "	4 80	
Orders reported outstanding last year,	117 59	
" not reported,	66 89	
		$368 78

TREASURY, *CR.*

Amount paid on Town orders, $2475 40		
Paid Re-embursement to dog owners,	15 50	
O. H. Munson for abatement of Tax,	1 20	
Samuel Hillhouse, " "	15 60	
Harvey Brewer, " "	10 80	
Geo. B. Carrington, " "	6 13	
Allen Mills, " "	4 25	
Oliver Judd, " "	3 15	
William Branning, " "	1 50	
Gilbert Johnson, " "	1 50	
John G. Mansir, exchange on State Tax,	2 60	
" " error in am't reported due from collector last year,	5 00	
State Tax,	936 00	
State Bounty Tax,	1,333 27	
Interest on Mrs. Cadwell's note,	9 00	
" M. D. Mansir's "	1 80	
" Henry R. Heath's "	3 60	
Endorsement on Wm. Gilmore's note,	10 00	
" Lorenzo Mosley's note,	15 00	
Interest on Homer Dowd's "	24 00	
" Margaret Burger's "	3 00	
" Henry Baldwin's "	5 70	
" S. W. Carley's "	6 00	
" Congregational Society's "	11 10	
" Anson Langdon's "	9 40	
" Town of Monterey, "	10 50	
" " "	12 00	
Principle and Interest on John Doolittle's note,	535 00	
" " Anson Langdon's "	104 72	
" " " " "	160 96	
" " Daniel Fargo's "	371 00	
" " H. W. Baldwin's "	30 08	
" " " " "	65 51	
" " Homer Dowd's "	406 25	
" " H. W. Wright's "	106 [illegible]	
" " Moses Harmon's "	106 41	
" " Solomon Dowd's "	58 00	
" " Geo. E. Thompson's	4 [illegible]	
" " W. H. Morrison's "	74 [illegible]	
" " Lewis Mosley's "	42 40	
" " Lorenzo Mosley's "	21 98	
Endorsement on C. W. Brett's "	52 35	
Principle and Interest on G. J. Bentley's "	109 45	
County Tax of 1862,	145 38	
Order of District No. 9,	104 00	
		$4,989 9[illegible]
Balance in hands of Treasurer to ~~meet~~ account,		2,000 6[illegible]
		$9,466 0[illegible]

Collector's Account.

John H. Langdon, Collector for 1863,	Dr.	
To State Bounty Tax,	$1,333 27	
State Tax,	936 00	
County Tax,	345 38	
Amount raised for current expenses,	1,000 00	
Overlayings,	30 43	
Highway Deficiencies,	16 73	
Common Schools,	600 00	
Amount raised in School District No. 9,	113 55	
		$4375 36
J. H. Langdon, Collector,	Cr.	
By amount of cash and abatements paid Treasurer,	$3,310 50	
Balance in hands of Collector to meet account,	1064 86	
		$4375 36

Assets of the Town.

The assets of the town are as follows:

Due from John H. Langdon, Collector for 1863,	$1064 86	
Inventory of Liquor Casks, &c., in hands of R. N. Couch,	8 87	
" School Books and cash in hands of School Com.,	30 95	
Due from State. Aid paid in 1862,	210 58	
" " " 1863,	943 00	
Interest due on School Bonds,	28 45	
Due from Town of Sandisfield, Pauper account,	150 54	
" State, Aid paid Sarah A. Sperry prior to first of March 1864. Not account for before,	72 00	
" State on recruiting account,	105 00	
" State, expenses under draft of 1862,	12 00	
Cash now in the Treasury,	2,000 67	
		$4,626 92

Liabilities of the Town.

Amount on notes held by the following named persons against the town:

Mary Cadwell,	$155 22	John W. Bidwell,	$309 95
Chas. H. Bentley,	109 38	E. C. Brewer,	54 69
William H. Mansir,	103 38	R. N. Couch,	82 71
Henry R. Heath,	61 65	Margaret Burger,	51 37
M. S. Heath,	97 66	Waldo R. Fargo,	81 49
John D. Bidwell,	51 37	William Gilmore,	41 46
John Doolittle,	81 49	Betsy Hale,	139 38
Statira Gibbs,	108 60	Russell Pomeroy,	54 48
Thomas D. Hale,	108 58	A. S. Mansir,	194 11
Charles W. Brett,	8 21	Mary Cadwell,	65 07
S. W. Carley,	102 08	Newton Brewer,	107 84
M. D. Mansir,	30 55	First Cong. Society,	189 62
R. R. Brewer,	511 50	Town of Monterey,	178 50
Town of Monterey,	200 00		
			$3,280 34

There is due the several School Districts as follows:

District No. 1,	$22 57	District No. 6,	$77 44	
" 2,	199 92	" 7,	74 36	
" 3,	100 21	" 8,	48	
" 4,	147 71	" 9,	127 44	
" 5,	1 67			$751

Amount of two notes paid now in the Treasury, designated as School Bonds,	$399 35	
Due District No. 9,	8 55	
County Tax for 1863,	345 38	
		$753
Amount of indebtedness,	$4,785 42	
" Assets,	4,626 92	
Balance against the Town,	$158 50	

All of which is respectfully submitted.

L. J. TOWNSEND,
R. R. BREWER,
ORRIN H. MUNSON,
Selectm of Montere

Monterey, March 5th, 1864.

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REPORT

—OF THE—

SELECTMEN

—OF THE—

TOWN OF MONTEREY,

Giving an Account of the Pecuniary Affairs of the Town,

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FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 6, 1865.

TO WHICH IS APPENDED THE REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

GREAT BARRINGTON:
MARCUS H. ROGERS, PRINTER,
1865.

REPORT.

TREASURY, DR.

To balance on hand at last settlement	$2,000 67
Received of Lester Thompson on note	98 67
" " Thomas Miner " "	202 32
" " Chauncey Langdon " "	295 17
" " John H. Langdon collector, 1863,	1,052 70
" " State as premium for recruits,	15 00
" From State school Fund,	34 96
" " A. B. Garfield, Collector, 1864,	1,550 86
" Interest on J. Benedict's note,	3 02
" " J. G. Mansir's note	5 71
" " J. G. Mansir's & G. B. Langdon's	8 40
" " State Corporation Tax	188 64
" Interest on Town Notes,	22 50
" State aid reimbursed	989 00
	$6,467 62

TREASURY, CR.

Paid School District No 1,	$ 96 88	Paid School District No 6,	$44 00
" 2,	184 00	" 7,	69 29
" 3,	202 00	" 8,	83 60
" 4,	64 00	" 9,	89 00
" 5,	39 00		$871 77

TREASURY, CR.

EXTRA REPAIRS ON ROADS.

By cash paid Hyland Dowd for railing on reservoir,	$16 00	
" J. Johnson for labor on road,	6 00	
" Jerome M. Fargo for bridge plank,	15 21	
" I. Harmon for timber and labor on bridge,	30 50	
" John Hadsdell for labor,	3 00	
" Wm. W. Langdon "	3 25	
" Geo. R. Carrington "	10 50	
" Elijah Pixley for plank,	2 00	
" David S. Bushy for labor,	27 60	
" F. A. Hubbard "	8 00	
" Albert Rewey "	7 70	
" Uriah Brett "	10 25	
" O. H. Munson "	21 00	$161 01

EXPENSE OF PAUPERS.

By cash paid	A. Rewey for sundries furnished	Mrs Maxwell,	$4 62		
"	" "	J. Robbins,	4 30		
"	J. H. Langdon for wood "	Mrs. Sperry,	3 00		
"	Dennis Laird for furnishing	M. J. Smith,	32 00		
"	O. L. Mansir "	Mrs. Sperry,	21 28		
"	" "	Tunis Brazee	11 00	——	—$76 20

STATE AID PAID

Wm. Gilmer	$88 00	Maria J. Swan	$124 00		
Sarah Maxwell	144 00	Sarah Gregory	148 00		
Elizabeth Gover	60 00	S. Alexander	17 33		
Frances Wells	116 00	Mary Kenney,	69 00		
Jeremiah Nokes	96 00	H. Mitchell	47 47		
Mary E. Swan	96 00	Ann Storer.	16 00	——	—$1,021 80

TREASURY, CR.

By cash paid	D. A. Garfield for services as Assessor, 1863,	$14 85	
"	A. Dowd for driving hearse. 1863,	16 70	
"	Cushing & Rogers for printing order blanks, reports, &c.,	17 50	
"	R. N. Couch interest on notes,	16 20	
"	Samuel Thompson for services as Assessor and cash advanced,	22 05	
"	Dr. C. E. Heath for Vaccination,	5 75	
"	Albert Tryon for sealing weights and measures	5 50	
"	J. H. Langdon for collecting taxes for 1863,	15 50	
"	J. G. Mansir for services as Treasurer, 1864.	12 00	
"	A. Rewey for recruiting,	11 90	
	A. Rewey for services as Selectman,	9 00	
"	O. H. Munson for recruiting,	16 50	
	" Cash advanced,	12 34	
	" services as Overseer of Poor,	5 50	
	" services as Selectman,	15 00	
"	Amos E. Langdon, services as Selectman,	6 00	
"	A. J. Fargo, services as Town Clerk and cash advanced,	16 70	
"	A. B. Garfield, services as School Committee,	15 50	
"	Wm. W. Langdon services as Assessor and cash advanced, 1864,	93 92	—$270
Amount paid by Treasurer on Selectmen's orders,		2,401 69	

TREASURY, CR.

Cash paid aside from selectmens' orders:			
By cash paid Statira Gibbs on note,		$109 00	
By interest paid on Newton Brewer's notes,		12 00	
By School Bond, money lent to P. Bossidy and stamp,		500 10	
By cash paid H. R. Heath on note,		61 90	
"	Interest on Betsey Hale's note,	12 35	
" "	Hyland Dowd's note,	6 00	
" "	Mrs. E. Brewer's note,	6 00	
" "	R. R. Brewer's note,	30 00	
" "	R. Pomeroy's note,	6 00	
" "	J. Doolittle's note,	$9 00	
" "	J. D. Bidwell's "	3 00	
" "	J. W. Bidwell's "	18 00	
" "	Wm. H. Mansir's "	6 00	
" "	M. D. Mansir's "	1 80	
" "	Margeret Burger's"	3 00	
By school bond money lent to E. B. Garfield,		100 00	
" cash paid C. W. Brett on note,		8 25	
" " State tax,		936 00	
" school bond money lent to town,		372 21	
" interest on town notes,		22 50	
" balance on Dog Fund to dog owners		17 40	
" postage,		1 00	
" Abatements,		13 50	
" County Tax for 1863,		345 38	
Whole amount paid aside from selectmen's orders,			2,600 39
" of cash paid on selectmen's orders brought over,			$2,401 69
" paid by Treasurer,			$5,002 08
" received by Treasurer		$6,467 62	
Balance due from Treasurer,			1,465 54
			$6,467 62

Alonzo B. Garfield, Collector for 1864. Dr.

COLLECTOR'S ACCOUNT.

To State tax,	$936 00	
" County "	331 51	
" Town "	1,000 00	
" Overlayings,	58 55	
Amount committed,	——	$2,326 06

Alonzo B. Garfield, Cr.

Amount of cash and abatements paid Treasurer	$1,569 90	
Balance in hands of Collector,	756 16	—$2,326 06

The town owe the following notes:

Hyland Dowd	100 00	Mary Caldwell	164 22
Charles H. Bentley,	115 38	Wm. H. Mansir,	103 38
M. S Heath,	103 36	John D. Bidwell,	51 37
John Doolittle,	77 00	Thomas D. Hale,	114 58
S. W. Carley,	108 08	M. D. Mansir,	30 55
R. R. Brewer,	511 50	School Fund.	200 00
John W. Bidwell,	309 95	Mrs. E. C. Brewer,	51 69
R. N. Couch,	82 71	Margaret Burger,	54 37
Waldo R. Fargo,	85 99	Wm. Gilmer,	43 86
Betsey Hale,	134 93	Russel Pomeroy	51 58
A. S. Mansir,	194 11	Mary Caldwell	68 91
Congregat'l Society,	200 00	School Fund,	178 50
Newton Brewer,	101 84		

Whole amount of notes against Town, $3,237 8

There is due the Several School Districts as follows:

District No. 1,		District No. 6,	$89 0
" 2,	$142 30	" 7,	65 3
" 3,	9 85	" 8,	
" 4,	162 51	" 9,	123 7
" 5,	12 94		
Amount due the School Districts,			$605 0

We also report the following outstanding orders:—

E. W. Bentley, for building railing on new road leading to Hartsville,	$64 5
M. D. Mansir, for services as assessor,	10 7
A. Dowd, for driving Hearse and recording deaths for 1864,	17 9
Nathan Taylor, for services as School Committee,	10 0
Elizabeth Gcver, State Aid,	4 0
Wm. Gilmer, " "	8 0
J. B. Pixley, work on road,	3 5
Uriah Brett, " "	6
Amount of outstanding orders,	$125 1

ASSETS OF THE TOWN.

Due from J. H. Langdon collector for 1863,	$12 16
Interest due on School Bonds,	58 25
Liquor Casks in hands of R. N. Couch,	8 87
Cash and Books in hands of School Committee,	32 06
Due from A. B. Garfield, collector for 1864,	756 16
Due from Sandisfield on Pauper account,	184 00
Due from State, aid furnished in 1863,	164 58
Due from State, aid furnished in 1864,	1,091 80
Due from State, on Recruiting account,	105 00
Due from State, Expenses under draft of 1862,	12 00
Cash in Treasury,	1,465 54
Amount of the Assets of Town,	$3,890 42

THE LIABILITIES OF THE TOWN

are as follows:

Amount of notes against Town,	$3,237,85	
" due School Districts,	605 69	
Interest due on money borrowed to obtain Recruits,	106 25	
County tax due for 1864,	331 51	
Outstanding orders,	125 18	
Amount of the liabilites of Town,		$4,406 49
Amount of the assets of Town		3,890 42
Balance against Town,		$516 07

The following notes were given by the town to raise money to obtain recruits:

R. N. Couch,	$500 00	Newton Brewer,	$400 00
Rebecca Lincoln,	400 00	Albert Rewey	200 00
Newton Brewer,	61 36	Congregational Fund,	188 64
Lemuel J. Townsend,	250 00	Lyman Fargo	127 79
School Fund,	372 21	Total	2,500 00

Report Concerning the Recruiting Fund.

Amount appropriated by the Town,		$2,5
Paid O. H. Munson for services,	47 25	
" R. N. Couch, " "	9 00	
" A. Rewey, " "	6 00	
" For traveling expenses,	189 36	
" For Revenue Stamps for notes,	1 62	
" Exchange on money,	6 98	
" For Drafts,	2 00	
Cash desposited in State Treasury,	500 00	
" Paid for printing roll,	5 50	
Expenses of Wm. Stone, to Springfield,	4 70	
Paid for recruit in Boston,	30 00	
" " five recruits $250, each	1,250 00	
Expenses of Examining Exempts,	13 50	
Balance in O. H Munson's hands,	164 09	$2,500
Amount now in State Treasury,	375 00	
Amount now in hands of O. H. Munson,	164,09	
Balance due the Town		$539,0
Indebtedness of Town for the above Fund,	1,960 21	
Indebtedness of Town for Town affairs,	516 09	
Entire indebtedness of the Town		$2,477

All of which is respectfully submitted,

ORRIN H. MUNSON,
ALBERT REWEY,
AMOS E. LANGDON,
} Selectmen of Monterey

1865-6

REPORT

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for 1864-65 See beyond New Ashford

For the Year ending March 5th, 1866.

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LEE, MASS.:
PRINTED AT THE OFFICE OF THE VALLEY GLEANER.
1866.

REPORT.

TREASURY,

Dr.

To balance on hand at last settlement,	$1465 54
Cash received as interest on School Bonds,	99 62
" " as Principal,	5 29
" " of Sandisfield, for support of Mary J. Smith,	9 14
" " of O. H. Munson, recruiting fund,	256 67
" " from State School Fund,	33 70
" " of A. B. Garfield, in cash and discount on tax of '65,	387 78
" " State Aid reimbursed,	940 00
" " of Otis, for support of Robert Stedman,	4 00
" " of A. B. Garfield, school house tax for district No. 8,	431 53
" " of V. S. Abbott,	100 00
A. B. Garfield, cash and abatements on tax of 1864,	756 16
Received of Selectmen, March 2d, 1866,	299 77
State Corporation Tax,	22 12
	$8291 32

TREASURY,

Cr.

By cash paid School District No. 1,	$101 50	
" " " " No. 2,	142 27	
" " " " No. 3,	48 00	
" " " " No. 4,	100 00	
" " " " No. 5,	45 50	
" " " " No. 7,	32 00	
" " " " No. 8,	90 00	
" " " " No. 9,	152 45	$711 72

FOR EXTRA REPAIRS ON ROADS.

By cash paid James Hyde for labor on bridge,	$1 00	
" Edmun Curtiss for timber and labor,	16 75	
" N. S. Sears for labor on road,	9 00	
" R. N. Couch do.,	10 00	
" Thomas Miner, do.,	9 00	
" O. H. Munson, do.,	4 25	
" J. G. Mansir for timber and labor on bridge,	2 00	

By cash paid J. M. Fargo, timber and plank for bridges,		$35 01	
George R. Carrington, labor on road,		15 00	
Uriah Brett,	do.,	6 50	
J. B. Pixley,	do.,	3 50	
E. W. Bentley, ralling on road to Hartsville,		64 53	—$176 5

STATE AID PAID.

Elizabeth Gover,	$27 00	J. Nokes,	23 00
Maria J. Swan,	72 00	Henrietta Mitchell,	24 00
Mary E. Swan,	38 90	Mary Kenney,	42 80
Sarah Maxwell,	48 00	Frances Wells,	86 00
William Gilmer,	40 00		
Sarah Gregory,	58 00		
			$409 70

TREASURY, Cr.

By cash paid James Robbins, support of paupers,		$5 00
" Eunice Royce,		3 00
" Catherine O'Neal, supporting S. Sperry,		29 00
" J. B. Pixley, " Philinda Colbert,		27 00
" Dr. Heath, medical attendance on S. Sperry,		5 50
" " " on Squire Collins' family,		32 50
" " " Mrs. Montgomery,		6 00
" " " Simeon Pollard's family,		29 00
" " " Philinda Colbert,		21 00
" " " Fred. Sherado's family,		31 75
" O. L. Mansir, furnishing Maxwell family,		16 61
" " " Mrs. Colbert,		2 10
" " " Sherado,		6 95
" " " Frances Wells,		6 65
" Thomas Miner, " Sherado,		22 75
" M. S. Bidwell, " Collins family,		62 37
" O. H. Munson, " transient paupers,		1 62
" " " Maxwell,		1 25
" " " Wells,		4 27
" " " Geo. Robbins,		7 53
" " " Colbert family,		91
" " " Pollard family,		35
" G. R. Carrington, " Mrs. Wells,		8 25
" V. S. Abbott, " "		17 50
" N. S. Sears, " "		26 81
" Mansir & Higley, " "		37 12
" " " Collins family,		2 00
" Henry Brown, support of Chas. Peters,		9 00
" N. Brewer, digging Sherado's grave,		2 00
" " supporting Pollard family,		112 19
" F. Langsdorff, coffin for Pollard,		10 00
		$548 02

TREASURY, Cr.

By cash paid L. J. Townsend, interest,		$15 00
" M. H. Rogers, for printing,		16 00
" Timerson, damage to horse,		50 00
" N. S. Sears, time and expenses on Sperry case,		5 75
" " services as Overseer of Poor,		7 00
" " " Selectman,		4 75
" " for warrant to organize School Dist.,		1 00
" " Postage,		18
" " as committee to settle with Timerson,		1 50
" O. H. Munson, time and expenses in Sperry case,		19 38
" " services as Overseer of the Poor,		14 25
" " expenses for stamps, stationery and counsel,		4 90
" " services as Selectman,		17 00
" A. B. Garfield, Collector, 1864,		28 00
" " School Committee, 1865,		20 00
" Wm. W. Langdon, Assessor and express charges, 1865,		24 03
" A. Dowd, driving Hearse and recording deaths,		13 00
" " painting Hearse,		8 00
" Cornish Hitchcock, Assessor, 1865,		20 35
" A. Tryon, Sealer of Weights and Measures,		5 00
" " Bolts for Bridges,		1 00
" A. J Fargo, services as Town Clerk, Postage, &c.,		11 18
" V. S. Abbott, services as Selectman, Overseer of the Poor, and Committee to settle with Timerson,		13 50
" J. G. Mansir, services as treasurer, and postage,		12 50
" N. Taylor, School Committee, 1864,		10 00
" M. D. Mansir, Assessor, 1864,		10 75
" A. Dowd, driving Hearse, 1864,		17 90
" Samuel Thompson, Assessor, 1865,		21 75
" Charles E. Heath, School Committee, 1865,		3 00
		$376 67

Whole amount paid on Selectmen's Orders, $2,222 65

TREASURY, Cr.

CASH, PAID ASIDE FROM SELECTMEN'S ORDERS.

Note and interest to M. S. Heath,	$97 85
Interest on N. Brewer's note,	6 00
Interest on Congregational Fund Note,	17 22
Note and interest to R. N. Couch,	523 75
" to William H. Mansir,	103 93
" to M. D. Mansir,	31 17
Interest on William Gilmer's note, 2 payments,	6 93

Interest on Mary Caldwell's note,	$16
" Lyman Fargo's note,	7
" Newton Brewer's note,	27
" Mrs. E. C. Brewer's note,	3
" Mary Caldwell's note,	9
" Charles Bentley's note,	18
" S. W. Carley's note,	12
Principal and interest on J. Doolittle's note,	79
Interest on R. R. Brewer's note,	30
" R. Pomeroy's note,	3
Revenue Stamps,	1
Interest on Waldo Fargo's note,	13
" J. D. Bidwell's note,	21
" Betsey Hale's note,	11
" Margaret Burger's two notes,	9
Principal and interest on Charles Bentley's note,	102
" on Mary Caldwell's note,	68
School-house Tax, District No. 8,	422
Interest on School fund notes,	22
" " "	22
Allowed on Collector's Account, 5 per cent discount on taxes of 1865,	193
Interest on Mrs. Lincoln's note,	24
" Congregational Fund note,	22
State Tax,	1598
County Tax, 1865,	125
Abatements allowed in 1864,	8
District No. 9, balance of School-house Tax,	9
County Tax, 1864,	331
Draft on State Tax,	1
Express charges,	1
Whole amount paid aside from Selectmen's Orders,	4001
" " " on orders, (brought forward,)	2222
Whole amount paid by Treasurer,	$6224
Amount received by Treasurer, (brought forward),	$8291 32
Deduct amount paid out,	6224 50
Amount due from Treasurer,	$2066 82

OUTSTANDING ORDERS.

Sheridan Thompson, for wood, District No. 7,	$13
W. C. Langdon, House Rent to Mrs. Wells,	15
R. N. Couch, Liquor Agent, 3 years,	15
	$43

ALONZO B. GARFIELD, Collector, Dr.

To balance on hand at last settlement,	$756 16	
State Tax of 1865,	1598 00	
Town Grant, 1865,	2100 00	
County Tax, 1865,	282 58	
Overlayings,	193 71	
Highway deficiencies,	19 51	
School-house Tax, District No. 8,	431 53	
School-house Tax, District No. 2,	819 60	$6201 09

ALONZO B. GARFIELD, Cr.

By Cash, County Tax receipts, and abatements allowed on Tax of 1864,	$756 16	
Cash and County tax receipts, and discounts allowed on Tax of 1865,	4299 31	$5055 47
Balance due the Town,		$1145 62

THE TOWN OWES THE FOLLOWING NOTES.

Hyland Dowd,	$106 00	Russel Pomeroy,	$51 58
S. W. Carley,	102 08	School Fund,	178 50
R. R. Brewer,	511 50	Rebecca Lincoln,	416 80
J. W. Bidwell,	309 95	Newton Brewer,	61 86
Waldo R. Fargo,	77 29	L. J. Townsend,	262 62
Betsey Hale,	134 93	School Fund,	387 84
Congregational Society,	200 00	Congregational Fund,	196 56
Newton Brewer,	101 84	Lyman Fargo,	133 16
Mary Caldwell,	150 00	Newton Brewer,	416 80
J. D. Bidwell,	51 37	Philinda Spear,	205 00
Thomas D. Hale,	120 58	Caroline Pattison,	205 00
School Fund,	200 00		
Mrs. E. C. Brewer,	51 69		$4687 32
Margaret Burger,	54 37		

Amount due from School District No. 1,	$1 00	
" " to " " No. 2,		$178 10
" " " " No. 3,		100 68
" " " " No. 4,		170 72
" " " " No. 5,		31 19
" " " " No. 6,		159 31
" " " " No. 7,		96 78
" " " " No. 8,		5 60
" " " " No. 9,		77 09
		$819 47
Deduct balance due from District No. 1,		1 00
Amount due the School Districts,		$818 47

ASSETS OF THE TOWN.

Due from John H. Langdon, Collector, 1863,	$12 16	
Interest due on School Bonds,	48 33	
Liquor Casks in hands of R. N. Couch,	8 87	
Cash and Books in hands of School Committee,	32 06	
Due from A. B. Garfield, Collector. 1865,	1145 62	
" State, aid furnished, now back,	726 08	
" " on recruiting account and expenses of draft,	117 00	
" Sandisfield, on Pauper account,		
Cash in Treasury,	2066 82	—$4156 9

LIABILITIES OF THE TOWN.

Notes due from the Town,	$4687 32	
Due the School Districts—School money,	818 47	
" " School-house tax, No. 2,	879 60	
" " " No. 8,	9 53	
" " School Fund,	5 29	
Due on County Tax,	157 58	
Outstanding Orders,	45 50	—$6541 29
Balance against the Town,		$2384 35

RECRUITING FUND.

O. H. Munson,

		Dr.
To balance on hand last settlement,	$164 09	
Cash received from State Treasurer,	375 00	—$539 09
Cr.		
By cash paid Albert Rewey's note and interest,	$212 00	
" 1-2 day going to bank to draw money,	75	
" Cash paid into Town Treasury,	256 67	
" " for F. Sherado's coffin,	9 00	
" " Rufus Fargo, for drawing timber for bridges,	1 00	
" " Philip DeJarvis, labor on bridge,	2 00	
" " Alvin Warren, " " "	2 00	
" " John Miner, " " "	2 00	
" " E. McCarthy, timber for bridge,	9 00	
" " O. H. Munson, 2 days labor on bridge,	4 00	
" " Wm. Gilmer's note to interest,	40 67	—$539 09

All of which is respectfully submitted,

ORIN H. MUNSON,
NORMAN S. SEARS,
VIRGIL S. ABBOTT,
Selectmen of Monterey.

Monterey, March 5th, 1866.

1866

REPORT

—OF THE—

SELECTMEN

—OF THE—

TOWN OF MONTEREY,

Giving an account of the pecuniary affairs of the Town for the year ending March 4, 1867.

TO WHICH IS APPENDED THE REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

GREAT BARRINGTON:
MARCUS H. ROGERS, PRINTER.
1867.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

TREASURY, *DR.*

To balance on hand at last settlement,	$2,066 82	
Cash received as interest on school bonds,	101 38	
" " of John Benedict as principal,	50 35	
" " of State School Fund, 1866,	97 80	
" " for State aid 1864,	138 33	
" " " 1865,	550 00	
State corporation tax 1866,	18 68	
Cash received from town of Sandisfield,	90 00	
A. B. Garfield, collector—cash and abatements,	2,627 89	
cash received for school-books,	32 06	
		$5,773 30

TREASURY, *CR.*

By cash paid—interest on note to Anson Langdon,	$6 00	
" " Lyman Fargo,	7 67	
" " L. J. Townsend,	15 00	
" " Rebecca Lincoln,	24 00	
" " Newton Brewer,	3 69	
" " Newton Brewer,	24 00	
" " Caroline Patterson,	12 00	
" " Mary Cadwell,	9 00	
" " Philinda Spear,	12 00	
" " J. D. Bidwell,	3 00	
" " J. W. Bidwell,	18 00	
" " R. R. Brewer,	30 00	
" " Russell Pomeroy,	2 25	
" " Newton Brewer,	6 00	
" " Margaret Burger,	3 00	
" " School Fund,	11 02	
" " "	11 31	
" " Thomas D. Hale,	24 00	

By cash paid Principal on note to Russell Pomeroy,	$25 00	
" Interest on School Fund,	44 83	
" H. A. Davis, state sealer,	12 00	
" as State tax,	1,020 00	
" Express charges, &c.,	2 00	
" Loaned to O. L. Mansir,	1,200 00	
Abatements on tax of 1865,	25 79	
" " 1866,	14 42	
County Tax 1865,	157 58	
" 1866,	282 58	
Order W. C. Langdon 1865,	15 00	
" Sheridan Thompson, 1865,	13 50	
" Henry Brown, 1865,	9 00	
District No. 8—school-house tax,	9 53	
		$3,053 17
By cash paid, as State aid, Francis Wells,	$96 00	
Sarah C Dowd,	104 00	
Caroline Patterson,	32 00	
Sarah J. Strong,	32 00	
		$256 00
By cash paid School District No. 1,	$82 40	
" " 2,	259 42	
" " 3,	241 50	
" " 4,	150 00	
" " 5,	65 80	
" " 6,	110 00	
" " 7,	131 64	
" " 8,	105 25	
" " 9,	95 50	
		$1,241 51
By cash paid extra repairs on Roads and Bridges,		$82 72
" support of Paupers,		326 74
By cash paid, Town Expenses,		
A. J. Fargo, services as Town Clerk, &c.,	$14 37	
John G. Mansir, services as Treasurer,	10 00	
W. W. Langdon, services as Assessor,	15 35	
James M. Fargo, " "	15 00	
Cornish Hitchcock, " "	17 50	
M. S. Bidwell, " Selectman,	16 00	
" " Districting Com.,	6 00	
" " Overseer of Poor,	15 00	
Norman S. Sears, " Selectman,	10 25	
A. G. Freeman, " Selectman and overseer of the Poor,	11 15	
Dr. C. E. Heath, " School Committee,	8 25	

A. B. Garfield, services as School Committee,	14 00	
M. S. Bidwell, Jr., " "	18 30	
A. B. Garfield, " Collector, (1865),	30 00	
Albert Tryon, " Sealer of weights and measures,	5 00	
Artemas Dowd, " Driving hearse, &c.,	33 30	
By cash paid N. S. Sears for printing report,	15 00	
" Lyman Thomson, repairs on burying ground,	3 00	
" Sumner & Dewey, counsel fees 1865,	15 00	
" Postage stamps and stationery,	5 00	
" Revenue stamps,	2 00	
		$279 47

SUMMARY OF TREASURY ACCOUNT,

	DR.	
To balance on hand at last settlement,	$2066 82	
Cash received, and abatements,	3706 48	
		$5,773 30
	CR.	
By cash paid aside from Selectmen's orders,	$3,053 17	
" State aid,	264 00	
" Schools,	1,241 51	
" Roads and bridges,	82 72	
" Support of paupers,	326 74	
" Town expenses,	279 47	
" Balance in treasury,	525 69	
		$5,773 30

A. B. GARFIELD, COLLECTOR.

	DR.	
To balance on hand at last settlement,	$1,145 62	
State tax of 1866,	1,020 00	
County tax "	282 52	
Town tax "	2,100 00	
Overlayings,	118 52	
Add to overlayings,	11 28	
		$4,677 94
	CR.	
By County tax receipt 1865,	$137 58	
Abatements, 1865,	25 79	
County tax receipt, 1866,	282 58	
Abatements, 1866,	14 42	
Cash and orders,	2,147 52	
Balance due the town,	2,050 05	
		$4,677 94

ASSETS OF THE TOWN.

Due from J. H. Langdon, collector 1863,	$12 16	
Interest due on school bonds,	9 08	
Liquor Casks in hands of Hyland Dowd,	8 87	
Due from A. B. Garfield, collector 1866,	2,050 05	
C. L. and J. G. Mansir's note,	1,200 00	
Cash in treasury,	525 69	
State aid furnished,	264 00	
	$4,069 85	
Balance against the town,	1,971 11	
		$6,040 96

LIABILITIES OF THE TOWN.

Notes due from the town,	$4,567 34	
Due the school districts,	578 38	
School-house tax, Dist. No. 2,	819 60	
Due school fund,	55 64	
Outstanding orders,	20 00	
		$6,040 96

OUTSTANDING ORDERS.

R. N. Couch,	$15 00	
R. W. Beach, No. 1,	5 00	
		$20 00

NOTES &C. DUE SCHOOL FUND.

March 1, 1854,	Town of Monterey,	$200 00
Nov. 8, 1862,	"	175 00
Jan. 15, 1864,	"	372 21
April 5, 1858,	Nathan Upham,	51 35
May 2, 1864,	E. B. Garfield,	100 00
April 4, 1864,	Patrick Bossidy,	500 00
Jan. 1, 1859,	Isaac Harmon,	50 00
March 1, 1866,	John G. Mansir,	90 00
Jan. 1, 1859,	"	140 00
Cash in town treasury,		55 64
		$1,734 20

THE TOWN OWES THE FOLLOWING NOTES.

Hyland Dowd,	$100 00	
S. W. Carley,	106 00	
R. R. Brewer,	500 00	
J. W. Bidwell,	300 00	
Waldo R. Fargo,	80 00	
Betsey Hale,	140 00	
Congregational society,	200 00	
Newton Brewer,	100 00	
Newton Brewer,	60 00	
Newton Brewer,	400 00	
Mary Caldwell,	150 00	
J. D. Bidwell,	50 00	
Thomas D. Hale,	100 00	
School Fund,	200 00	
School Fund.	178 50	
School Fund,	387 84	
Mrs. E. C. Brewer,	55 00	
Margaret Burger,	55 00	
Russell Pomeroy,	25 00	
Rebecca Lincoln,	400 00	
L. J. Townsend,	250 00	
Congregational Fund,	200 00	
Lyman Fargo,	130 00	
Philinda Spear,	200 00	
Caroline Patterson,	200 00	
		$4,567 34

DUE SCHOOL DISTRICTS.

Amount due School District No. 1,	$18 54	
" 2,	120 15	
" 3,	17 70	
" 4,	118 29	
" 5,	28 31	
" 6,	129 71	
" 7,	46 14	
" 8,	4 19	
" 9,	95 35	
		$578 38

MARSHALL S. BIDWELL,
NORMAN S. SEARS,
ALBERT G. FREEMAN,
} Selectmen of Monterey

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. 1, 1859,	Isaac Harmon,	50 00
rch 1, 1866,	John G. Mansir,	90 00
. 1, 1859,	"	140 00
Cash in town treasury,		55 64
		$1,734 20

THE TOWN OWES THE FOLLOWING NOTES.

Hyland Dowd,	$100 00
S. W. Carley,	106 00
R. R. Brewer,	500 00
J. W. Bidwell,	300 00
Waldo R. Fargo,	80 00
Betsey Hale,	140 00
Congregational society,	200 00
Newton Brewer,	100 00
Newton Brewer,	60 00
Newton Brewer,	400 00
Mary Caldwell,	150 00
J. D. Bidwell,	50 00
Thomas D. Hale,	100 00
School Fund,	200 00
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School Fund,	387 84
Mrs. E. C. Brewer,	55 00
Margaret Burger,	55 00
Russell Pomeroy,	25 00
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"	3,	17 70
"	4,	118 29
"	5,	28 31
"	6,	129 71
"	7,	46 14
"	8,	4 19
	9,	95 35
		$578 38

MARSHALL S. BIDWELL,
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} Selectmen of Monterey

1867-68

REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN

—OF THE—

TOWN OF MONTEREY,

Giving an account of the Pecuniary Affairs of the Town, for the year ending March 2, 1868.

To which is Appended the Report of the School Committee.

GREAT BARRINGTON MASS:
MARCUS H. ROGERS, STEAM JOB PRINTER.
1868.

REPORT.

Report of Selectmen for the expense of the town of Monterey, for the year ending March 2, 1868:

Assessors' wages,	$42 00	
Books, stationery and stamps,	5 00	
Driving hearse,	16 00	
Town Clerk, express and postage,	9 58	
Sealer of weights and measures,	5 00	
Liquor Agency,	5 00	
Labor on grave yard,	6 00	
Printing report for 1867,	15 00	
Digging grave,	2 50	
Suit with East Hampton,	247 14	
Selectmen and overseers of the poor,	28 00	
Stamps and stationery,	3 00	
Treasurer,	10 00	
Support of poor,	201 25	
Bridges and highways,	50 00	
Recording Soldiers,	12 20	
School Committee,	34 75	
		$692 42

SELECTMEN'S REPORT WITH TREASURER.

TREASURY,

	DR.	
To balance on hand last settlement,	525 70	
Received from town of Tyringham,	5 21	
" interest on school bonds,	107 39	
" " Mansir's note,	72 00	
" for State aid	200 00	
" corporation tax,	32 64	
" on school fund,	117 18	
" of John H. Langdon,	12 16	
" town of Sandisfield,	30 25	
" of A. Tryon, collector,	3,162 82	
" A. B. Garfield, collector 1866,	2,015 03	
" school fund notes,	578 37	
		$6,858 75

TREASURY, *CR.*

By paying town orders	2,228 79	
" interest on notes,	2,161 54	
" principal and interest on notes,	1,134 97	
" abatement on taxes,	903 68	
" State tax and exchange,	1,706 87	
" school fund loaned,	602 85	
" Cash on hand,	20 05	
		$6,858 75

THE FOLLOWING DISBURSMENTS FOR THE YEAR 1867.

Amount paid the several school districts,	1,078 87	
Support of paupers	231 75	
Extra repairs of roads and bridges	50 00	
East Hampton,	160 00	
Attorney's fees,	38 45	
Witnesses and expenses,	18 69	
Town officers and other expences,	227 98	
		$1,835 74

LIABILITIES OF THE TOWN.

Notes held by different individuals against the town,	$3,450 00	
Money due school districts	520 91	
Outstanding orders	29 00	
		$3,999 91

ASSETS OF THE TOWN.

Due the town for State aid,	$488 00	
From A. B. Garfield,	35 02	
" A. Tryon, collector 1867.	1,148 76	
Note of J. G. & O. L. Mansir,	12 00	
Liquor casks &c. with agent,	8 87	
Cash in treasury,	20 05	
		$2,900 70
Balance against town,		$1,099 21

All of which is submitted.

E. B. GARFIELD,
R. FARGO,
A. E. LANGDON. } *Selectmen of Monterey.*

March 2, 1868.

The remainder of Monterey rec'ds can be found in Vol. 3. of Berkshire Co.

REPORTS

OF THE

SELECTMEN

AND

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

OF THE

TOWN OF MONTEREY,

FOR

1868–1869.

LEE, MASS.:
WILLIAM H. HILL & CO., PRINTERS,
1869.

REPORT

OF THE

SELECTMEN OF MONTEREY

FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 1, 1869.

EXPENSES.

For support of E. W. Hallack and family,	$190 12
" Tunis Brazee,	156 00
" State Reform School,	22 57
" Mrs. Dowd, at Lee,	3 95
Removing Mrs. Serado to Almshouse,	11 55
" the family of Jackson, &c.,	38 18
Paid Dr. C. E. Heath, for attendance, &c.,	27 65
Extra expense of Highways and Bridges,	23 60
School Committee,	27 25
School Books,	25 50
Assessors' Wages,	42 00
Postage and Express,	4 00
Selectmen and Stamps,	70 00
Town Agent and Expense,	9 00
Schools in different districts,	938 74
Town Clerk,	17 68
Collector, for 1867,	43 00
Sealer of Weights and Measures,	5 00
Liquor Agency,	5 00
State Aid,	384 00
Printing Reports and Orders,	11 75
Pauper Register,	6 00
Surveying Town Line,	3 00
Attending Hearse,	16 80
	$2,082 34

LIABILITIES.

Notes held by different individuals,	$2,501 50
Due from the several School Districts,	599 51
Out-standing Orders,	42 14
	$3,143 15

ASSETS.

Due from the town of Tyringham,	$190 12
" State Aid,	448 00
" A. Tryon, collector for 1867,	71 37
" " " 1868,	698 90
" Interest on School Bond,	40 00
Cash in Treasury,	298 30
	$1,746 69
Balance against the Town,	$1,396 46

All of which is respectfully submitted.

E. B. GARFIELD,
O. H. MUNSON,
R. FARGO,
Selectmen of Monterey.

March 1st, 1869.

REPORT

—OF THE—

SELECTMEN,

—OF THE—

TOWN OF MONTEREY,

1869—70

For the Year Ending March 7, 1870.

TO WHICH IS APPENDED THE

Report of the School Committee.

GREAT BARRINGTON, MASS.
MARCUS M. ROGERS, STEAM JOB PRINTER.
1870.

REPORTS.

REPORT.

EXPENSES.

Repairs on roads and bridges,	$536 56

SUPPORT OF POOR.

For support of Tunis Brazee,	75 00
E. Harrington,	25 28
Caroline Martin,	33 49
Delia Sherado,	5 00
Transient Poor,	2 00
Paid Dr. Heath for medical attendance,	30 00

MISCELLANEOUS.

School Committee,	27 00
Assessors' wages and expenses,	38 80
Selectmen and Overseers of Poor,	46 67
Town Clerk, services and expenses,	20 43
Town Agent, services and expenses,	18 55
Witnesses and Officer,	22 36
Constable serving warrant,	1 00
Treasurer, and stamps and stationery,	9 00
For Schools,	957 50
State aid,	405 00
Printing reports and handbills,	13 50
Attending hearse and recording deaths,	27 30
Appraising school houses,	19 00
Stamps and stationery for Selectmen,	1 50
Paid Interest on notes,	53 43
Burying horse,	1 00
Wm. Hall damage to sleigh,	8 00
Outstanding orders,	42 14
Revenue stamp on Treasurer's bond,	1 00
State Nautical school,	35 20
	$2,455 71

LIABILITIES OF THE TOWN.

Notes held by different persons,	$2,301 50
M. S. Bidwell, wood, district No. 2,	16 72
E. McCarthy, work on road,	7 25
S. B. Carrington, assessor,	14 25
A. Rogers, work on road,	2 00
F. Brochu, work on road,	2 00
Due school districts,	590 61
Due Huntington for support of poor,	34 00
	$2,968 33

ASSETS.

Due from Tyringham,	$190 12	
from State for State aid paid,	467 00	
Interest on school bonds,	40 00	
From A. J. Fargo, collector,	64 62	
From A. Tryon, collector,	190 00	
From Sandisfield,	32 50	
Cash in Treasury,	398 97	$1,383 21
		$1,585 12

All of which is respectfully submitted.

O. H. MUNSON,
REUBEN FARGO,
C. D. LANGDON,
} Selectmen of Monterey.

MARCH 7, 1870.

REPORT

—OF THE—

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

—OF THE—

TOWN OF MONTEREY,

FOR THE YEAR 1869-70.

Owing to a misunderstanding between the members of the School Committee, the Report was not ready at the March meeting.

We will now make a brief report ; we will neither waste time or paper in criticising the good or bad qualities of our teachers, or in pointing out the defects in our school houses, but will look on the brightest side of the subject, and take courage in our success in procuring the services of so many teachers who will rank in class No. 1.

It is a great mistake to suppose that employing young and inexperienced teachers is economy, because they can be obtained for a less salary than the more experienced teachers are willing to give their services.

Your Committee have been diligent in their efforts to secure teachers who are qualified for the position both mentally and morally, and we have the satisfaction of believing that we have been successful in that respect. We believe that our teachers have invariably given satisfaction both to parents and scholars, and they assuredly have met the approbation of the Committee. We are pleased with the liberality of the voters of the town in raising money for the support of schools, for it truly is a good investment. We hope they will not be less liberal the coming year, for with a less amount of money we should be under the necessity of accepting the services of cheaper teachers, or of making the school term shorter than we now do, which we can ill afford to do. We will here call your attention to the unheeded entreaties of former Committees, to parents, to visit schools, and thus encourage scholars and teachers. Parents are slow to see the good they may thus do. We again urge it upon you, to comply with our entreaties and in this way do what you can for the cause of education.

One year has passed since the school district system was abolished. We are unable to see any particular disadvantages arising from the new system yet, although we know the majority of the town are opposed to it. They fear that the Committee will for the sake of showing their authority diminish the number of schools, but why should the Committee desire to do this, unless they deem it beneficial to the town? They certainly can have no personal interest in the matter. We have had no disposition to diminish the number of schools in town ; there were eight districts in town and we have had eight schools the past year.

We have no desire to wrong the scholars in the back localities of the town by compelling them to go two or three miles to school, or stay at home.

The amount of money raised by the town for the support of schools, the past year, was

Income on ~~surplus revenue~~, - Local School Fund	$800 00
Received from the State,	107 39
	129 92
	$1,037 31
Balance of school money 1868-9 not expended was	599 51
	$1,636 82
Amount of money expended for schools the past year was, being $8.91 more than the amount received.	$1,046 22

The whole number of scholars in town May 1, 1869, between the ages of 5 and 15 years was 142. The whole number attending school in summer was 125. The whole number attending school in winter was 135. The average attendance in summer was 98. The average attendance in winter was 111. The average length of schools taught in summer was $3\frac{3}{4}$ months. The average length of schools taught in winter was $3\frac{3}{4}$ months. There have been schools taught in eight different localities in the town and nine different teachers employed (all females;) four of these teachers have been employed two years and two of them three years in the same school. When we have good teachers we deem it very essential that they be retained in the same school from term to term

We are, yours respectfully,

W S. LANGDON,
M. V. THOMSON,
C. E. HEATH,
} School Committee.

Monterey, March 1870.

Select Men's Report
— Monterey —
— 1870 - 71 —

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BOSTON, - - MASS.

The following is a Copy of the Selectmens Report for the town of Hinsdale for 1870 & 71

Doc Mass Colleges

Treasurer Dr

To	Balance on hand at last Settlement	$398.97
"	Cash on P. Bennings Note	30.00
"	" " A. Upham "	3.08
"	" " E B Garfield "	6.00
"	Cash as State and Corporation Tax	410.78
"	" " State School Fund	139.69
"	" from A. Fryer Collector 1868	190.00
"	Amt of Tax Bills for 1870	3243.48
"	Cash Recd of A. G. Fay	31.12
"	Cash on W. S. Bidwell Note	32.84
"	Amt Recd from Town Sanderfield	32.50
"	" " from E. G. Hall Admr C. Collins Est.	31.50
"	Cash of A. G. Freeman	200.00
		$4744.96

Treasurer Cr

By	Paying Outstanding Orders	$42.22
"	" State Nautical School	20.57
"	" Mary Cadwell Note & Int	158.25
"	" A. G. Freeman " "	203.33
"	" Int on Notes	104.09
"	" W. H. Rogers Auditing Report	6.39
"	" State Tax	850.00
"	" County Tax	531.25
"	" State Aids	272.00
"	" Support of Schools	1086.81
"	" Repairs on School Houses	29.69
"	" A. B. Garfield School Committee	23.00
"	" Louis Brazee	65.00
"	" Charles Collins	31.50
"	" Support of Swan Children	86.98

"	" State Aid	2[illegible]2.00
"	" Support of Schools	1086.81
"	" Repairs on School Houses	29.69
"	" A. B. Garfield School Committee	23.00
"	" Louis Brazo	65.00
"	" Charles Collins	31.50
"	" Support of Swan Children	86.98
"	" " " Lum Family	2.75
"	" Francois Parfait	2.50
"	" Dr. C. E. Heath - Medical Attendance	30.00
"	" Repairs on Highways & Bridges	167.55
"	" Assessors Services & Expenses	54.60
"	" Town Clerk & Expenses	18.41
"	" Constables Serving Warrants	3.00
"	" for Serving Town Lists	2.00
"	" Selectmen & Overseers Poor	61.00
"	" Stamps & Stationary	2.50
"	" Ct. Fryer Collector 1868	36.00
"	" " Selectmen Wright & Maxam	10.00
"	" for Bond of J. Langdon	50.00
"	" Town Services & Expenses	51.50
"	" Summons & Serving Bill	89.25
"	" A. B. Garfield in Hubbard Case	36.36
"	" C. Belcher & Witness	5.70
"	" A. Dow & Deny Hearing	18.90
"	" E. B. Garfield Recd. & Stamps	12.00
"	" Dis on Taxes	111.31
"	" Abatement of Taxes	14.50
"	Town in Tax Bills	5.26
	Taxes now due	132.50
	Cash in Treasury	$21.89
		$4749.96

Liabilities of the Town

Notes held by different Individuals	$2131.50
Amt due Schools	515.41
	$2646.91

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Assets of the Town

Due for State Aid furnished	$34.00
" from A J. Vargo Ch. 1869	33.50
Int on School Bonds	32.00
Town Scraper	51.50
Amt taxes now due	1325.50
Cash in Treasury	321.89
	$705.39

Indebtedness of the Town $1761.52

C. D. Langdon } Selectmen
Artemas Dowd }
Geo. W. Morse } Of Monkton

Attest

Merrick C. Langdon
Town Clerk
"

STATISTICS FROM THE SCHOOL REGISTERS

FOR THE YEAR 1869–70.

Names of Teachers.	No. of District.	Seasons.	No. Months School.	Wages per month, Board included.	Whole No. Scholars.	Average attendance	No. under 5 years.	No. over 15 years.
Lizzie L Dowd,.....	2	Sum.	3	$26	26	19	0	0
" " "		Fall.	3	26	23	14	0	0
" " "		Win.	3½	26	23	16	0	1
Fannie A. Bentley,.....	3	Sum	4½	26	25	20	1	0
" " "		Win.	4	27	26	24	0	4
Helen M Taylor.....	4	Sum	4	26	7	7	0	0
" " "		Win.	4	26	11	10	0	1
Julia Huggins.....	5	Sum.	4	18	9	7	0	4
Ella J. Jewell,.....	6	Sum.	3	20	12	7	2	1
" " "		Win.	3	26	21	16	2	4
Mary M. Thomson, ...	7	Sum.	3	12	14	11	0	0
Mary A. Smith,.....		Win.	2½	23	21	10	0	2
Harmony E. Clark,.....	8	Sum.	2¾	26	16	12	2	1
" " "		Win.	3¾	26	24	16	1	2
Mary A. Smith,.....	9	Sum.	4	22	16	10	0	0
Mary M. Stedman,...		Win.	3½	24	19	17	0	3

ANNUAL REPORT

—OF THE—

SELECTMEN

—OF THE—

TOWN OF MONTEREY,

1871–72

For the Year Ending March 4, 1872.

GREAT BARRINGTON, MASS.:
MARCUS H. ROGERS, STEAM JOB PRINTER.
1872.

REPORT.

JOHN H. LANGDON, TREASURER. *DR.*

To Cash received of E. B. Garfield, treasurer 1870	$30 44	
received as interest on Town Notes,	57 75	
borrowed of M. C. Langdon,	100 00	
borrowed of A. B. Garfield,	85 00	
borrowed of A. B. Garfield,	55 00	
borrowed of Savings Bank,	400 00	
collected of George W. Olds,	32 00	
received of A. J. Fargo, collector 1871,	2,376 75	
received on Taxes of 1870,	126 55	
received for State Aid furnished,	304 00	
received as Corporation Tax,	5 56	
received as State National Bank Tax,	83 80	
received of State School Fund,	130 22	
received for State Paupers,	10 00	
received of Town of Adams,	33 00	
discount allowed A. J. Fargo, Collector,	104 26	$3,934 33

JOHN H. LANGDON, TREASURER. *CR.*

By Paying interest on Town Notes,	$121 24	
Note and Interest at Savings Bank,	408 17	
note and interest to A. B. Garfield,	56 38	
note and interest to A. B. Garfield,	87 49	
note and interest to Margaret Burger,	51 11	
State Tax,	850 00	
Exchange on same,	1 00	
discount allowed A. J. Fargo, Collector,	104 26	
amount of orders given,	1,959 87	
Abatements on Taxes of 1870,	34 26	
Abatements on Taxes of 1871,	2 28	
Service as Treasurer,	10 00	
Stamps and Stationery,	1 00	
Amount of Cash on hand,	247 27	$3,934 33

ANNUAL REPORT

—OF THE—

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

—OF THE—

TOWN OF MONTEREY,

For the Current Year, 1871-2.

GREAT BARRINGTON, MASS.:
MARCUS H. ROGERS, STEAM JOB PRINTER.
1872.

REPORT.

The amount of money raised by the town for the support of schools the past year, was	$800 00
Interest on Town school fund,	104 05
Received from State,	130 22
	$1,034 27
The amount expended for the teachers' wages, board, and fuel, when paid for in money,	$1,018, 50

Schools have been taught as follows:

In district No. 1 and 6,	8 months.
In district No. 2,	7¼ months.
In district No. 3,	7¼ months.
In district No. 4,	8 months.
Also a branch school,	3 months.
In district No. 7,	6 months.
In district No. 8,	6 months.
In district No. 9,	7 months.
Total,	53¼ months.

We have complied with the State law, in having at least six months' school in each district.

The prosperity and advancement of our schools the past year have been encouraging, though not all that could be desired. In a system of schools like our own, we naturally see among the teachers different degrees of success in respect to both instruction and government. Here it is not desirable to make comparisons, especially as the outward advantages of some have been superior to those enjoyed by others. Too much importance cannot be given to *thorough* instruction in the common branches. If our public schools do not give thorough training in the fundamental branches of an English education, they fail of their primary object. *Reading* has occupied much time in one or two schools, and has been quite successfully taught; yet we frequently notice that a teacher estimates the scholar's proficiency by his ability to call the words, and as a natural consequence a "school tone" becomes habitual. The ability to recognize words and utter them fluently is an essential part of reading; but even little children should be taught that reading is more than this; that thoughts and feelings are to be expressed. Let the pupils practice much in calling and grouping words, in articulation and pronunciation, in tone and all that pertains to the manner of reading, but let them feel that good reading requires such a mastery of all this drill as will enable them to give the full meaning of the words spoken. Writing has received more attention in some of the schools than in some previous years, and good results have been secured; yet we think more regular and careful attention is needed. The best time for training the hand is in childhood;

and if the elements of Drawing were taught in common with Writing, much more would be gained for both hand and eye. Spelling is universally consid'ered a test of scholarship and deserves a large share or attention. Arithmetic stands first as a disciplinary study, and the schools generally show quite successful drilling in this branch. Less dependence upon the book and more reliance upon the "live teacher" would give still happier results. Examples should be drawn from business and practical life, and pupils should be trained to self reliance. The habit of working solely for the answer of the book is a pernicious one. Better for the pupil that he learns his weakness until he can rely upon his accuracy as a certain thing. Correct reasoning, accuracy, and rapidity in computing, are the things never to be out of mind while teaching arithmetic. We are decidedly in favor of public examinations, with the exhibition of a piece read or spoken, and now and then a composition. We hope every school will adopt the plan. Personally, we should be in favor of making it an invariable rule. The stimulus upon both teacher and pupil is needed, and if properly managed, healthful and happy. We believe many an eminent statesman, public speaker and orator has kindled the flame that has burned with such brilliancy in after years, upon the stage of the district school house, when he stood up before parents, friends, and fellow schoolmates to repeat

"You'd scarce expect one of my age
To speak in public, on the stage."

These germs of intellectual greatness and brilliancy are now folded quiescent in our school rooms. Buds they are, which only need opening to shed their fragrance and beauty upon the world. And how can they be opened except as we bring them to the light? Declamation, composition and public reading, are severe tests of natural and acquired ability. We favor the public examination also, because it furnishes a special occasion for parents and friends to visit the school. We regret there is need of special occasion. We believe it is for the interest of the parents, of the teachers and the children, that patrons and friends should frequently spend an hour or two in the school room. A few friendly visits to the school would, in most cases, eradicate dissatisfaction and hush all complaint. Next to our churches our schools are of the most importance. On them more than upon anything beside depends the permanancy of our republican institutions. They are the hope of our country. In them is now the plastic clay in the hands of the potter, which we may fashion as we will. Once fashioned it may be broken, but never re-formed. What the influence of the rising generation shall be, we must determine, and what their destiny, our influence will decide. How responsible our work.

Yours Respectfully,

A. B. GARFIELD,
Chairman of the Committee.

Monterey, March 4, 1872.

Statistics of Schools.

Names of Teachers.	Number of District.	Schools.	No. Months of School.	Wages per month, board included.	Whole number Scholars.	Average Attendance.	No. of Scholars under 15 years of age.	Number over 15 years.
Ella W. Garfield,	1 & 6	Summer.	2½	$22	26	20	2	0
Hattie R. Hubbard,		Fall.	2½	22	17	11	1	0
Hattie R. Hubbard,		Winter.	3	26	22	16	0	3
Mary M. Thomson,	2	Summer.	2	24	24	19	2	0
Ella W. Garfield,		Fall.	3¼	26	26	22	1	1
Emily I. Mead,		Winter.	2½	26	34	21	0	5
Lizzie L. Dowd,	3	Summer.	2½	26	26	22	0	1
Lizzie L. Dowd,		Fall.	1¾	26	24	20	1	0
Fannie A. Bentley,		Winter.	3¼	28	30	26	0	3
Minnie V. Langdon,	4	Summer.	4	22	12	10	1	0
Lizzie L. Dowd,		Winter.	4	28	13	11	0	1
Ellen R. Palmer,		Branch School.	3	24	7	6	1	0
Lois L. Thomson,	7	Summer.	2½	22	17	10	0	0
Annie M. Chandler,		Winter.	3½	24	18	14	0	3
Mary M. Stedman,	8	Summer.	3	24	12	11	2	0
Mary M. Stedman,		Winter.	3	24	18	15	0	2
Ida J. Ball,	9	Summer.	3½	24	14	12	0	0
Ida J. Ball,		Winter.	3½	27	18	15	0	3

LIABILITIES OF THE TOWN.

Notes held by different individuals,	$2,201 50	
Amount due Schools,	476 63	
Amount due County,	757 32	
Due Dr. C. E. Heath for medical attendance,	30 00	$3,465 45

ASSETS OF THE TOWN.

Due for State Aid furnished,	222 00	
from A. J. Fargo, collector, 1869,	33 50	
E. B. Garfield, treasurer, 1870,	270 65	
Interest on School Bonds,	94 00	
A. J. Fargo, Collector, 1871,	993 60	
Taxes of 1870,	26 75	
the several school districts,	1,044 28	
Execution against Lucy M. Hubbard,	96 64	
Cash in Treasury,	247 27	$3,028 69
Indebtedness of the Town,		$436 76

DISBURSEMENTS BY THE SELECTMEN.

TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid C. D. Langdon for service as selectman, overseer of the poor, and expenses,	$35 00	
Artemas Dowd for services as selectman, overseer of the poor, and expenses,	33 85	
George W. Morse for service as selectman,	6 00	
Lyman Thomson, for services as assessor and expenses,	25 60	
James K. Hyde, for service as assessor, and expenses,	18 32	
John H. Minor, for service as assessor, and expenses,	18 15	
M. C. Langdon, for service as clerk, and expenses,	18 20	
M. C. Langdon, constable,	17 00	
A. B. Garfield, school committee and expenses,	25 00	
Albert Tryon, sealer of weights and measures,	5 00	$202 12

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Paid James K. Hyde, for bridge and railing,	$23 00	
Jonathan Wright, for work,	10 00	
Lyman Thomson, for work,	4 00	
James Markham, for work,	3 00	
Artemas Dowd for work,	18 00	
Artemas Dowd for work,	9 00	
C. D. Langdon, plank for bridge in District No. 2,	21 60	
C. D. Langdon, timber and work on bridge in Dist. No. 3,	40 52	
C. D. Langdon for work,	12 00	
C. D. Langdon for work,	8 00	
C. D. Langdon for work,	1 00	
C. D. Langdon for work,	4 00	$154 12

PAUPERS.

Paid Ferris Brazee,	$45 00	
Mrs. George W. Olds,	66 50	
George Swan,	13 25	
Hattie L. Swan,	12 00	
Mary Jane Bradley,	33 00	
Miles Homestone,	14 00	
Town of Huntington for George W. Olds,	32 00	
Dr. C. E. Heath, for medical attendance, 1869,	7 00	$222 75

SCHOOLS.

Paid Districts No 1 and 6,	$207 00	
District No. 2,	169 00	
District No. 3,	159 00	
Districts No. 4 and 5,	160 00	
District No. 6,	54 50	
District No 7,	72 00	
District No. 8,	112 00	
District No. 9,	139 50	$1,073 00

CONTINGENT.

Paid Lester & Co., for paint for burying-ground fence,	$44 71	
James Markham, for painting same,	13 50	
Sumner & Dewey, fees in Hubbard case,	16 78	
Art. Dowd for driving hearse and recording deaths,	14 70	
Artemas Dowd for repairs on hearse,	50	
State aid,	192 00	
V. S. Abbott, for repairs on school house,	10 00	
Newton Brewer, interest,	15 69	

C. D. LANGDON,
ARTEMAS DOWD,
GEO. W. MORSE.
} Selectmen of Monterey.

Monterey, March 4, 1872.

ANNUAL REPORT

—OF THE—

SELECTMEN

—OF THE—

Town of Monterey,

For the Year Ending March 3, 1873.

1872-73.

GREAT BARRINGTON, MASS.:
MARCUS H. ROGERS, STEAM PRINTER—COURIER OFFICE.
1873.

REPORT.

JOHN H. LANGDON, TREASURER, *DR.*

To cash on hand at last settlement,	$247 27
Received as Interest on School Bonds,	121 02
of A. J. Fargo, Collector,	152 50
of A. J. Fargo, Collector,	33 50
of A. J. Fargo, Collector,	34 50
for State Aid furnished,	88 00
as Corporation Tax,	5 44
as State School Fund,	128 02
from County Treasurer for Dog Fund,	108 57
from H. W. Langdon, Collector,	600 00
from H. W. Langdon, Collector,	2,866 00
from H. W. Langdon, County Tax,	649 09
Discount allowed H. W. Langdon,	216 58
from H. W. Langdon, Collector,	41 78
	$5,292 37

JOHN H. LANGDON, TREASURER, *CR.*

By paid Interest on Notes,	$117 34
State Tax,	520 00
Exchange on draft to pay State Tax,	1 25
County Tax,	649 09
Discount allowed H. W. Langdon, Collector,	216 58
Abatements,	53 36
Paying Town orders,	2,907 98
Services as Treasurer,	10 00
Stamps and stationery,	1 00
Amount of cash on hand,	815 67
	$5,292 37

DISBURSEMENTS BY THE SELECTMEN.

TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid M. C. Langdon, Town Clerk, and expenses,	$19 03
M. C. Langdon, Constable,	6 50
James K. Hyde, Assessor,	29 00
M. V. Thomson, Assessor,	22 34
O. H. Munson, Assessor,	7 50
M. S. Bidwell, School Committee,	25 00
Albert Tryon, sealer of weights and measures,	5 00
Lyman Thomson, Selectman and Overseer of the Poor,	7 50
Reuben Fargo, Selectman and Overseer of the Poor,	2 00
W. C. Langdon, Selectman and Overseer of the Poor,	18 50
	$142 37

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Amount expended on Highways and Bridges,	$1,333 69

FOR STATE AID.

Paid Francis Wells,	$96 00
Caroline Patterson,	72 00
	$168 00

SUPPORT OF POOR.

Paid Mrs. Geo. W. Olds, Funeral Expenses,	$26 43
Tunis Brazee,	81 98
C. E. Heath, Medical Attendance,	9 00
C. E. Heath, Medical Attendance, 1871,	30 00
	$147 41

FOR SCHOOLS.

Paid Districts No. 1 and 6,	$147 84
District No. 2,	193 97
District No. 3,	60 00
District No. 4,	145 00
District No. 5,	90 00
District No. 7,	87 00
District No. 8,	108 00
District No. 9,	129 00
	$960 81

CONTINGENT.

Paid Artemas Dowd, for driving Hearse,	$26 00
A. J. Fargo, Collector, 1869 and 1871,	46 00
H. D. Sisson, Damage Allowed,	55 00
Newton Brewer, Interest and Principal on Note,	108 90
Mark Humphrey, for Cart,	50 00
J. Brewer & Son, Ploughs and other tools,	16 65
C. W. & S. K. Norton, Bill,	7 78
Rawson Harmon, for Scraper,	8 00
Thomas Wood, for labor in 1871,	10 00
	$328 33

LIABILITIES OF THE TOWN.

Notes due individuals,	$2,120 00	
Outstanding orders,	172 63	
Due several School Districts,	538 34	$2,830 97

ASSETS OF THE TOWN.

Cash on hand,	$815 67	
Due from E. B. Garfield's estate,	270 65	
from A. J. Fargo, Collector, 1871,	49 28	
on Tax Bills of 1870,	26 75	
from H. W. Langdon, Collector, 1872,	473 89	
Execution against Lucy M. Hubbard,	96 64	
Interest on School Bonds,	77 73	
from Caroline Patterson,	136 00	
for State Aid,	168 00	
for carts, plows and other tools,	75 00	$2,189 61
Indebtedness of the Town,		$641 36

LYMAN THOMSON,
REUBEN FARGO,
W. C. LANGDON,
} Selectmen of Monterey.

Monterey, Mass., March 3, 1873.

ANNUAL REPORT

—OF THE—

SELECTMEN

—OF THE—

TOWN OF MONTEREY,

For the Year Ending March 2, 1874.

GREAT BARRINGTON, MASS.:
MARCUS H. ROGERS, PRINTER,—COURIER OFFICE.
1874.

REPORT.

JOHN H. LANGDON, TREASURER, *DR.*

To cash on hand at last settlement,	$815 67
received of H. W. Langdon, collector,	75 00
of H. W. Langdon, collector,	760 00
interest on Mansir's note,	25 20
of H. W. Langdon, collector,	2,162 49
on E. B. Garfield's note,	108 77
on N. Upham's note,	59 66
of H. W. Langdon, collector,	185 00
of H. W. Langdon, collector,	182 39
as State Aid,	96 00
as Corporation Tax,	5 43
as National Bank Tax,	86 53
from School Fund,	126 33
as National Bank Tax,	41 10
from Dog Fund,	17 10
as interest on I. Harmon's Note,	3 00
as interest on School Fund Note,	12 00
discount allowed H. W. Langdon, collector,	164 34
cash received from Mrs. C. Patterson,	136 00
H. W. Langdon, County Tax Receipt,	290 00
cash received of A. J. Fargo, collector, 1871,	12 00
	$5,364 05

JOHN H. LANGDON, TREASURER, *CR.*

By paid interest on Mrs. E. C. Brewer's note,	$3 00
two years interest on Mrs. Carley's note,	12 00
interest on L. Marcey's note,	21 00
interest on R. R. Brewer's note,	30 00
interest on Mrs. Carley's note,	6 00
interest on N. Brewer's note,	10 50
State Tax,	585 00
Exchange on same,	1 00
interest on School Fund Note,	12 00
interest on M. C. Langdon's note,	6 00
By School Fund money loaned,	151 35
paid abatement of 1872-3,	91 08
discount allowed H. W. Langdon, collector,	164 34
County Tax Receipt, H. W. Langdon, collector,	290 00
paid interest on School Fund Note,	26 14
paid abatements of 1871,	11 39
paid Town Orders,	2,963 88
services as Treasurer,	10 00
stamps and stationery,	1 00
cash on hand,	962 37
	$5,364 05

DISBURSEMENTS BY THE SELECTMEN.—FOR STATE AID.

Paid Mrs. Francis Wells, State Aid,	$96 00
Mrs. Annie Gilmore, State Aid,	48 00
Timothy Curtin, State Aid,	72 00
Caroline Patterson,	48 00
	$264 00

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Amount expended on Highways and Bridges,	$908 46

SUPPORT OF POOR.

Paid Tunis Brazee,	
Mrs. Gilmore,	$120 64
transient paupers,	78 00
Mrs. Chester Bevins and Harriet Hunt,	3 00
	213 90
	$415 54

AMOUNT PAID FOR SCHOOLS.

Paid District No. 1 and 6,	
District No. 2,	$145 25
District No. 3,	39 17
District No. 4,	259 44
District No. 5,	120 00
District No. 7,	114 00
District No. 8,	106 50
District No. 9,	133 00
	114 00
	$1,031 36

TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid M. C. Langdon, Clerk and express,	$20 40
M. C. Langdon, Constable,	11 00
H. P. Fargo, Assessor,	10 35
M. V. Thomson, Assessor,	23 75
O. H. Munson, Assessor,	18 50
M. V. Thomson, School Committee,	26 00
M. S. Bidwell, School Committee,	10 00
W. C. Langdon, Selectman,	33 50
Lyman Thomson, Selectman,	2 00
Isaac Harmon, Selectman,	8 00
A. Tryon, Sealer of Weights and Measures,	5 00
	$168 50

CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

Paid Artemas Dowd, driving hearse,	$15 15
H. W. Langdon, collector, 1872,	25 00
M. H. Rogers, printing, 1871, '72 and '73,	23 75
surveying line between Great Barrington and Monterey,	2 00
Newton Brewer, expense on burying ground,	4 92
Lyman Thomson,	29 46
	$100 28

LIABILITIES OF THE TOWN.

Notes due individuals,	$2,090 00
Due the several School Districts,	644 68
	2,734 68
Balance in favor of the Town,	135 91
	$2,870 59

ASSETS.

Cash on hand,	$962 87
Due from the estate of E. B. Garfield,	270 66
from A. J. Fargo, collector, 1871,	37 25
from H. W. Langdon, collector, 1872,	34 50
from H. W. Langdon, 1873,	831 75
on execution against Lucy M. Hubbard,	96 94
as interest on School Bonds,	87 50
for State Aid,	264 00
from town of Lee for support of Mrs. Chester Bevins and Harriet Hunt,	213 90
Carts, plows, and other tools,	75 00
	$2,870 59

W. C. LANGDON,
ISAAC HARMON,
LYMAN THOMSON,
} Selectmen of Monterey.

Monterey, Mass., March 2, 1874.

REPORT

—OF THE—

SELECTMEN,

—OF THE—

TOWN OF MONTEREY,

—AND THEIR—

Settlement with the Treasurer,

For the Year Ending March 1,

1877.

GREAT BARRINGTON, MASS.:
MARCUS H. ROGERS, STEAM PRINTER,—COURIER OFFICE.
1877.

STATE [illegible]

BOSTON, [illegible] MASS

Oct. 1875

for

1874-75.

John H. Lamydon Treasurer 1874 Cr

By Paying Int on Mrs E Burns Note		3,00
" " Note & Int to Mrs Early		102,11
" " 2 Year Int to R Hall		15,60
" " Int on Mr C. Lamydon Note		6,00
" " " " L Mayo	"	21,00
" " " " R Hall	"	3,89
" " " " [illegible]	"	16,50
" " State Tax		520,00
" " Premium Note & Interest		28,31
" " Int on Bonds & Coupons Note		26,14
" " " " School Dues Note		12,00
" " Collectors 1873		10,82
" " Do 1874		22,08
" Discount allowed J. H. Lamydon Col		166,18
" " Town Orders		5189,02
" Errors in Treasurer		10,07
" Stamps & Stationary "		100
		$6153,62

Scheffert off Pew 1874

Jamis Brazer	128.00	
Mrs H Hunt & Miss Charles Bemis	79.24	
Martha Penney	52.00	
David Hall	2.83	
Pel. Brazer	19.27	
Mrs. McCreary	11.36	
Harmon Williams	53.34	
Doeling Pew	10.00	359.29

Amt Rec'd for Sch. for 1874

Dist No. 1	6	157.85	
" "	2	302.37	
" "	3	140.00	
" "	4	113.00	
" "	5	108.00	
" "	7	96.00	
" "	8	116.00	
" "	9	108.75	1141.97

Amt Expended on Highways & Bridges $2359.61

Amt Paid for Town Officers for 1874

W. C. Langdon	Town Clerk	25.80
W C Langdon	Constable	11.00
A P. Fargo	Assessor for 1873	10.00
O H Allen	" 1873 & 4	23.20
N. V. Thomson	" " 1874	22.56
Eli Bills	" " 1874	15.20
A. Tyler	Sealer of Weights & Measures	3.20
W C. Langdon	Selectman	38.00
Isaac Hannan	"	10.00
Thomas Ward	"	15.00
N V. Thomson	School Committee	11.25
W. J. Bedrick	"	20.00
		$208.61

Contingent Expenses

Arlemus Dodd	Drug Store	16.90
N W Langdon	Collector 1873	30.00
W A Rogers	Printing	13.75
J T Robinson	for blank Records Book	6.00
Manning Allen	Meeting & Ward Meetings	2.00
Meeting House	Grounds for use of Town 1st Meeting	130.00
" "	" for present year	25.00
		$218.65

Amt of State Aid Paid in 1874

Mrs T Wells	88.00
" C. Pellum	48.00
Fourth Quarter	72.00
Anna Gilman	48.00
	$256.00

John W Langdon Treasurer of

John H Lanyon Treasurer Dr

To Cash on hand at last settlement	962,37
" " of E.B. Garfields Estate	50,00
" " Int on U.S Bonds sold	32,83
" " of H W Lanyon Col. 77	31,50
" " " "	603,19
" " " Fines of Lee	200,00
" " " " " Saunders	29,18
" " " H.W. Lanyon Col.	2167,22
" " State Aid	150,00
" " Corporation Tax	5,81
" " National Bank Tax	149,18
" " Int. on C.D. Lanyon Note	10,10
" " Borrowed from Bank	587,34
" " from State School Fund	239,63
" " " Dog Fund	32,38
" " Int on J.H. Lanyons Note	9,08
" " " " School Funds	12,00
" Abatements 1873	10,82
" Do 1874	22,05
" Cash of H.W. Lanyon Col.	402,15
" Discount Allowed H.W. Lanyon Col	166,18
" Cash of H.W. Lanyon Col 1873	26,00
" " " Int on Isaac Timmons Note	3,00
" Bal due J.H. Lanyon Treasurer	265,61
	$6163,62

Liabilities of the Town

Amt due individuals	1965.00
" " the Treasurer	265.61
" " Town School District	679.23
" Outstanding Orders	772.93
" Due for Making New Roads	100.00
" " the County for Int of Tax	311.36
" " for Borrowed Money	600.00
" " School District No 2	722.95
	$5417.07

Assets of the Town

Amt due on School Bonds	120.00
Due from Sheffield for support of P. Brazee	19.27
Execution Against Levi Hubbard	87.50
Due for State Aid	268.00
Due from State for Support of Mrs McCreary	18.36
Due from H W Lamyman Col 1873	1192.80
" " " " 1874	858.18
Roads & Cart	75.00
Amt to balance	2777.76
	$6417.07

Amt of Town Liabilities $2777.76

Wheeling
Mch 1st 1875

H C Lamyman } Selectmen of
Isaac Hamm } Wheeling

REPORT.

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1876. JOHN H. LANGDON, TREASURER, *DR.*

To cash of town of Sheffield,	$80 00
April 4, to cash as interest on Isaac Harmon's note,	3 00
March 2, to cash as interest on M. S. Bidwell's note,	32 83
June 24, to cash for State pauper transportation,	26 25
July 15, to cash borrowed of Mrs. Freeman,	200 00
Aug. 21, to cash as interest on P. Bossidy's note,	30 00
Dec. 2, to cash corporation tax,	7 68
Dec. 2, to cash National bank tax,	138 37
Dec. 2, to cash State aid,	198 00
Jan. 13, to cash dog fund,	60 91
Jan. 15, to cash P. Bossidy's note and interest,	523 41
Jan. 26, to cash State school fund,	224 41
March 1, to cash interest on C. D. Langdon's note,	3 34
March 1, to cash interest on J. H. Langdon's note,	9 08
March 2, to cash of H. W. Langdon, collector,	191 38
March 1, to cash from land sold John Osborn by selectmen,	15 00
March 3, to cash interest on W. C. Langdon's note,	8 40
March 3, to cash interest school fund note,	12 00
Aug. 3, to cash H. P. Fargo, collector in 1876,	1,097 49
Dec. 6, to cash H. P. Fargo, collector in 1876,	674 69
Jan. 1, to cash H. P. Fargo, collector in 1875,	1,150 00
Feb. 13, to cash H. P. Fargo, collector in 1876,	145 50
March 3, to cash H. P. Fargo, collector in 1876,	595 54
March 3, to cash H. A. Stedman, treasurer district No. 2,	18 10
To balance due J. H. Langdon, treasurer,	561 20
	$6,006 58

Monterey, March 3, 1877.

1876. JOHN H. LANGDON, TREASURER, *CR.*

April 3, by paying interest to E. Hyde,	$3 85
April 3, by paying interest to J. K. Hyde,	10 50
May 19, by paying interest to B. Hale,	7 80
Jan. 8, by paying interest to Mrs. N. Brewer,	3 00
Jan. 15, by paying note and interest to Mrs. Underwood,	130 36
Aug. 18, by paying interest to L. Marcy,	21 00
June 29, by paying interest at Savings bank,	54 85
Jan. 1, by paying interest to N. Brewer,	7 00
Jan. 8, by paying interest on Fund society note,	26 14
Jan. 2, by paying interest at Savings bank,	54 75
Dec. 2, by paying State tax,	288 00
Aug. 1, by paying on County tax,	174 49
Oct. 11, by paying on County tax,	166 00
Nov. 9, by paying on County tax,	414 76
Feb. 5, by school fund money loaned.	500 00
Jan. 27, by paying town of Sandisfield,	241 42
March 2, by paying interest on town orders,	19 35
March 3, by paying interest on school fund note,	12 00
March 3, by paying old town orders,	634 85
by paying town orders,	2,341 39
by paying abatement to N. S. Sears on school tax,	12 16
by paying abatement to G. B. & J. H. Langdon on tax 1876,	3 14
by paying abatement to Artemas Dowd on tax of 1876,	1 20
by paying abatement to R. N. Couch on tax of 1876,	4 80
by amount due in settlement last year,	814 77
by interest on same,	48 00
by stamps and stationery,	1 00
by services as treasurer,	10 00
	$6,006 58

CONTINGENT EXPENSES FOR THE CURRENT YEAR.

Paid J. H. Langdon, printing school report 1876,	$4 50
Lyman Thomson, planing boards,	3 50
Francis Brochu, repairing scraper,	4 00
Albert Tryon, sealer of weights and measures,	5 00
Newton Brewer, interest,	3 93
Timothy Curtin, balance of tax abated,	15 23
Artemas Dowd, driving hearse,	18 25
School committee, for apparatus,	31 45
M. C. Langdon, recording, &c.,	27 22
M. S. Bidwell, school books,	6 63
M. S. Bidwell, tax book and stationary,	1 25
J. H Langdon, rent of basement,	25 00
Artemas Dowd, repairing graveyard fence,	5 75
Artemas Dowd, recording deed,	50
Artemas Dowd, repairing scraper,	50
Town of Sheffield, for George M. Dowd at state reform school,	26 00
	178 71

FOR SUPPORT OF SCHOOLS.

Paid Florence M. Carter, teaching in No. 1,	$140 00
Ellen Crosby, teaching in No. 1,	38 50

Paid Henry Woods, fuel and boarding teacher,	$31 45
Alice C. Cook, teaching in No. 2,	177 00
M. C. Langdon, boarding teacher,	15 00
E. B. Brodhead, boarding teacher,	10 00
Martha M. Downs, teaching in No. 3,	36 00
Ellen S. Bentley, teaching in No. 3,	36 00
Ellen S. Downs, teaching in No. 3,	64 00
Emma J. Huggins, teaching in No. 4,	107 00
O. H. Munson, for fuel,	15 00
Rosilla Munson, teaching in No. 5,	93 12
Ada Alexander, teaching in No. 6,	120 00
Mary E. Brayman, teaching in No. 7,	14 00
Jennie Dowd, teaching in No. 7,	42 00
Ella Burrows, teaching in No. 7,	42 00
Mary A. Stedman, teaching in No. 8,	96 00
George W. Morse, board and fuel,	34 00
J. H. Langdon, fuel &c. for No. 2,	17 25
	$1,128 32

Amount of money appropriated for schools in each district, amount expended and amount now due:

District No. 1	received	$156 88;	expended	$209 95;	now due	$32 96
District No. 2	"	191 04;	"	219 25;	"	192 87
District No. 3	"	161 15;	"	136 00;	"	53 51
District No. 4	"	139 80;	"	122 00;	"	93 77
District No. 5	"	115 18;	"	93 12;	"	22 42
District No. 6	"	118 91;	"	120 00;	due fr'm	1 19
District No. 7	"	91 75;	"	98 00;	"	18 38
District No. 8	"	148 34;	"	130 00;	now due	63 06
District No. 9	"	34 76;	"		"	51 91

SUPPORT OF POOR.

Paid Tunis Brazee, for support of father,	$70 00
Mrs. Pomeroy, for support of Martha Pomeroy,	52 00
Charles Wilson, for M. G. Bishop,	3 00
Albert Tryon, for lodging tramps,	4 00
Josiah Brown, for David Hall,	37 00
W. C. Langdon, for Tunis Brazee,	6 75
W. C. Langdon, for William Turner,	31 50
W. C. Langdon, for Peter Brazee,	5 47
E. B. Brodhead, attendance and medicine,	11 00
O. L. Mansir, for Sylvester Lawrence,	8 00
H. W. Langdon, for Peter Brazee,	7 00
Artemas Dowd, for Forest children,	4 84
Artemas Dowd, taking M. G. Bishop to Tewksbury,	17 30
Artemas Dowd, for David Hall,	11 87
J. K. Hyde, for David Hall,	6 75
L. J. Townsend, for Sylvester Lawrence,	8 98
L. J. Townsend, for David Hall,	4 25
L. J. Townsend, for tramps,	2 33
	$287 04

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Paid George W. Morse,	$58 08	Paid Eugene McCarty,	$42 64
C. L. Bunce,	34 17	John C. Hyde,	97 98
C. D. Langdon,	142 44	John H. Langdon,	166 47
Henry Woods,	57 93	Artemas Dowd,	36 92
Jonathan Wright,	35 46	William Vosburg,	4 00
H. C. Stedman,	52 24	Thomas Ross,	2 50
W. H. Minor,	71 72	J. W. Blake,	2 50
			$805 05

Paid Edward McManus, work done in 1875,	$10 00
L. E. Searl, work done in 1875,	8 00
Eugene Huggins, work done in 1875,	9 00
Jay Pixley, work done in 1875,	1 50
Isaac Harmon, work done in 1875,	20 70
	$49 20
Paid J. H. Langdon, for building bridge in village,	$74 02

TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid James K. Hyde, selectman,	$13 00
Artemas Dowd, selectman,	28 00
L. J. Townsend, selectman,	35 00
M. S. Bidwell, assessor,	20 00
H. A. Stedman, assessor,	22 50
George W. Morse, assessor,	26 25
E. D. Harmon, school committee, &c.,	38 11
E. B. Brodhead, school committee,	18 75
M. V. Thomson, school committee,	15 00
E. B. Brodhead, school committee in 1875,	15 00
	$231 61

STATE AID.

Paid Timothy Curtin,	$54 00
Caroline Patterson,	48 00
	$102 00

RECAPITULATION.

Amount of town orders given by the Selectmen,		$2,855 95
Paid for work on highway in 1875,	$49 20	
for work on highway in 1876,	805 05	
for building bridge in village,	74 02	
for support of poor,	287 04	
State aid,	102 00	
Town officers,	231 61	
Contingent expenses,	178 71	
for schools,	1,128 32	$2,855 95

LIABILITIES OF THE TOWN MARCH 1, 1877.

Note to Great Barrington savings bank,	$1,500 00
Eliza Hyde,	55 00
James K. Hyde,	150 00
Betsey Hale,	130 00
Mrs. Newton Brewer,	50 00
First Congregational society,	375 00
Mrs. Julia R. Freeman,	200 00
Town of Monterey,	200 00
Luther Marcy,	350 00
Newton Brewer,	100 00
Newton Brewer,	175 00
Outstanding orders of 1875,	5 85
Outstanding orders of 1876,	514 56
Due the school districts,	458 58
Due J. H. Langdon, treasurer,	561 20
	$4,825 19

ASSETS.

Due from H. W. Langdon, collector in 1874,	$266 12
from H. P. Fargo, collector in 1875–6,	2,249 43
from town of Sheffield, pauper account,	18 98
from state, pauper account,	17 30
on execution against Lucy Hubbard,	96 64
on execution against John G. Mansir,	60 00
state aid account,	135 00
Note against W. C. Langdon, designated school bonds,	140 00
town of Monterey, " "	200 00
M. S. Bidwell, " "	547 21
C. D. Langdon, " "	55 64
J. H. Langdon, " "	500 00
J. H. Langdon, " "	151 35
Isaac Harmon,	50 00
Interest on school bonds,	57 54
Road tools,	75 00
To balance,	224 98
	$4,825 19

L. J. TOWNSEND, ARTEMAS DOWD, JAMES K. HYDE, } Selectmen of Monterey.

ANNUAL REPORT

—OF THE—

SELECTMEN

—OF THE—

Town of Monterey

—AND THEIR—

SETTLEMENT WITH THE TREASURER,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 1, 1878.

GREAT BARRINGTON, MASS.:
MARCUS H. ROGERS, STEAM PRINTER—COURIER OFFICE.
1878.

REPORT.

WILBUR F. MINER, TREASURER, *Dr.*

To cash from State, Pauper transportation,	$5 25
Interest on M. S. Bidwell's note,	32 83
H. Bills on Sandisfield debt,	9 57
O. F. Stedman, on Sandisfield debt,	35 16
Town of Sheffield pauper account	44 43
H. A. Stedman, Sandisfield debt,	1 15
Alvin Twing, Sandisfield debt,	15 16
Henry C. Stedman, Sandisfield debt,	26 24
H. W. Langdon, collector 1873-4,	147 86
William A. Hall, Sandisfield debt,	22 17
H. W. Langdon, collector,	25 00
H. W. Langdon, abatements,	25 72
H. W. Langdon, as collector, Mrs. E. Harmon's note,	70 37
C. D. Langdon, interest,	3 34
J. B. Hotchkiss, Sandisfield debt,	8 30
State Treasurer, corporation tax,	8 21
National bank tax,	132 45
State Aid,	134 00
Dog Fund,	60 32
State School Fund,	218 58
As interest on J. H. Langdon's note,	30 00
Principal and interest on J. H. Langdon's note,	159 85
Ira Markham, Sandisfield debt,	2 28
Borrowed of George T. Minor,	200 00
Borrowed of Rawson Harmon,	800 00
Borrowed of Newton Brewer,	200 00
Fund Society,	300 00
Received from H. P. Fargo, collector 1875-6,	980 43
Received from H. P. Fargo note to balance account of 1875,	443 38
Received from H. P. Fargo note to balance account of 1876,	825 62
Received from H. P. Fargo on notes,	465 61
E. D. Harmon, collector 1877,	997 73
	$6,431 01

WILBUR F. MINER, TREASURER. *Cr.*

Paid M. H. Rogers for printing blanks,	$1 25
E. Hyde, interest on note,	3 85
J. K. Hyde, interest on note,	10 50
Betsy Hale, interest on note,	11 70
Savings Bank interest,	54 75
Town note at Savings Bank,	1000 00
Interest on Newton Brewer's note,	12 25
Interest on Luther Marcy's note,	21 00
Interest on Mrs. A. Freeman's note,	12 00
Marcus H. Rogers, printing,	18 50
State tax for 1877,	240 00
Interest on Newton Brewer's note,	7 00
Interest at Savings Bank,	18 25
Interest on Betsey Hale's note,	15 00
Town of Sandisfield interest on R. R. bonds 1877,	49 14
Balance on town note at Savings Bank,	500 17
John H. Langdon, book account and interest,	592 45
Interest on Fund society note,	26 14
Error in J. H. Langdon's account,	2 83
Emeline Harmon's note by H. W. Langdon,	70 37
Notes of H. P. Fargo,	1269 00
Old town orders of 1876,	470 84
Town orders 1877,	1933 92
Abatements,	45 47
School Fund note interest,	12 00
Stamps and Stationery,	1 00
W. F. Miner, services as treasurer,	10 00
Cash on hand,	21 63
	$6,431 01

CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

Paid James Kinnee for coffin,	$4 70
Barbeau, repairing scraper,	50
H. W. Langdon, collector 1874, services,	25 00
Newton Brewer, for graveyard fence,	8 84
Newton Brewer, repairing bridge, &c.,	8 00
E. B. Culver, for coffin for T. Brazee,	10 00
Artemas Dowd, care of hearse and statistics,	20 50
J. H. Langdon, for water trough,	2 00
Jonathan Townsend, Treasurer,	25 00
M. V. Thomson, cash paid as agent.	26 58
E. D. Harmon, for school apparatus,	28 93
E. D. Harmon, for school books,	18 80
Newton Brewer, digging 2 graves and lodging tramps,	8 00
Reuben Fargo, for tramps,	75
John Currian, repairing graveyard fence,	77
M. S. Bidwell, books furnished schools,	1 90
M. C. Langdon, as Town Clerk and making records,	28 67
L. J. Townsend, cash paid expressage, &c.,	4 20
Albert Tryon, sealer of weights and measures,	5 00
Albert Tryon, keeping tramps,	2 00
Francis Brochu, railing to road,	10 00
	$240 14

SUPPORT OF POOR.

Paid Charles Gregory for C. Farnham,	$9 00
Anthony Brazee, for T. Brazee,	40 00
L. J. Townsend, for David Hall,	10 00
Mrs. Pomeroy, for Martha Pomeroy,	25 00
Newton Brewer, for Jane A. Miller,	19 75
Charles Gregory, for C. Farnham,	33 00
E. B. Broadhead, for O. B. Markham,	6 00
H. W. Langdon, for poor,	26 36
Anthony Brazee, for P. Brazee,	40 00
Mrs. Pomeroy, for Martha Pomeroy,	7 95
Josiah Brewer, for David Hall,	33 87
Katy Ham, for Eleanor Ham,	15 00
Anthony Brazee, for T. Brazee,	16 39
A. J. Knapp, for David Hall,	9 00
L. B. Hall, for David Hall,	6 00
Katy Ham, for Eleanor Ham,	15 00
L. J. Townsend, for David Hall,	32 06
Town of Lee, for F. Minsley and C. Swan,	8 57
Katy Ham, for Eleanor Ham,	12 00
A. J. Knapp, for David Hall,	12 00
Katy Ham, for Eleanor Ham,	19 77
Amos Dowd, for David Hall,	1 50
Mrs Pomeroy, for Martha Pomeroy,	19 05
A. J. Knapp, for David Hall,	9 42
Reuben Fargo, for Brazee and Lawrence,	3 63
Jonathan Townsend, for William Turner,	44 85
M. S. Bidwell, for Mrs. S. Lawrence,	1 60
E. B. Broadhead, medical attendance for Theresa Hamilton,	5 25
E. B. Broadhead, medical attendance for Tunis Brazee,	75
E. B. Broadhead, medical attendance for Mrs. Sylvester Lawrence,	12 00
H. W. Langdon, for Eleanor Ham,	8 00
L. J. Townsend, for J. Maxwell,	5 23
L. J. Townsend, for Bruce Markham,	1 00
L. J. Townsend, Tunis Brazee, cash,	60
Katy Ham, for Eleanor Ham,	24 00
A. J. Knapp, for David Hall,	12 00
F. S. Noteware, for S. Lawrence,	3 00
	$548 60

SCHOOLS.

Paid Rosella Munson for teaching,	$14 88
Newton Brewer, fuel, &c.,	10 50
Benjamin Brayman, fuel,	8 62
Bertie Tryon, for building fires,	1 00
Nell Thomson, teaching,	40 00
Kate Baldwin, teaching,	24 00
Jennie Huggins, teaching,	40 00
Rosella Munson, teaching,	54 00
Eugene McCarty, teacher's board,	24 00
Carrie Barnum, teaching,	30 00
A. C. Fielding, teaching,	30 00
H. S. Ladd, for fuel,	5 00
Etta Smith, teaching,	45 50
H. J. Hall, for fuel,	15 00
Kate L. Baldwin, teaching,	24 00

Paid Eugene McCarty, teacher's board,	24 00
M. V. Langdon, teaching,	80 00
W. H. Miner, fuel,	17 00
Jennie Huggins, teaching,	80 00
Carrie Barnum, teaching,	20 00
Fannie A. Bentley, teaching,	85 00
Etta Smith, teaching,	84 00
Rosella Munson, teaching,	60 00
B. S. Carrington, for fuel,	6 00
H. J. Hall, for fuel,	13 50
L. E. Searl, for District No. 7,	3 40
Nell M. Thomson, teaching,	80 00
Eli Bills, boarding and fuel,	14 20
M. V. Langdon, teaching,	66 00
Rufus Barnum, teaching,	45 00
Jesse Twing, teaching,	75 00
Town of Otis, for schooling,	18 65
Fabius Beckwith, fuel,	10 00
	$1,048 25

Amount of money appropriated for schools in each district, amount expended, and amount now due:

District No. 1	Received	$107 30	Expended	$120 00	Now due	$5 11
District No. 2	Received	241 10	Expended	219 70	Now due	197 02
District No. 3	Received	153 03	Expended	189 50	Now due	17 04
District No. 4	Received	105 75	Expended	112 00	Now due	87 47
District No. 5	Received	109 20	Expended	110 88	Now due	20 74
District No. 6	Received	126 09	Expended	125 00		
District No. 7	Received	91 93	Expended	41 17	Now due	32 38
District No. 8	Received	114 78	Expended	130 00	Now due	47 74
District No. 9	Received	104 74			Now due	156 65

STATE AID.

State Aid,	$54 00

HIGHWAYS.

Paid William S. Vosburgh,	$52 50
Eli Bills,	125 50
Francis Brochu,	141 87
John B. Pixley,	40 88
Uriah Brett,	65 00
F. T. Noteware,	33 00
Benjamin Brayman,	34 00
Fabius Beckwith,	50 90
Reuben Fargo,	28 00
William Hall,	50 00
	$621 65

TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid E. D. Harmon, school committee,	$27 70
E. B. Broadhead, school committee,	11 25
M. V. Thomson, school committee,	5 00
George W. Morse, assessor,	23 75
M. S. Bidwell, assessor,	20 00
Albert Tryon, assessor,	17 50
L. J. Townsend, selectman,	36 00

Paid Newton Brewer, selectman,	12 00
Reuben Fargo, selectman,	5 00
	$158 20

RECAPITULATION.

Amount of Town Orders given by Selectmen,		$2,670 84
For Contingent Expenses,	$240 14	
For Support of Poor,	548 60	
For Schools,	1,048 25	
For State Aid,	54 00	
For Highways,	621 65	
For Town Officers,	158 20	$2,670 84

ASSETS OF THE TOWN, MARCH 1st, 1878.

Due from E. D. Harmon, collector,	$1,791 02
Town of Sheffield on pauper account,	19 16
From the State, pauper account,	25 00
From the State, state aid,	68 00
Execution against Lucy Hubbard,	90 00
Execution against John G. Mansir,	60 00
Two notes against H. P. Fargo,	818 15
Note against W. C. Langdon, school bond,	140 00
Note against town of Monterey, school bond,	200 00
Note against town of Monterey, school bond,	151 35
Note against M. S. Bidwell, school bond,	547 21
Note against John H. Langdon, school bond,	500 00
Note against C. D. Langdon, school bond,	55 64
Note against Isaac Harmon, school bond,	50 00
Interest due on school bonds,	48 91
Note against Emeline C. Harmon,	70 37
Due from owners of estate set on from Sandisfield, Jan. 1st, 1878,	179 01
Road Tools,	75 00
Cash in the Treasury,	21 63
	$4,910 45

LIABILITIES.

Note to Eliza Hyde,	$55 00
Note to James K. Hyde,	150 00
Note to Betsey Hall,	130 00
Note to Mrs. Newton Brewer,	50 00
Two notes to First Congregational Society,	675 00
Note to Mrs. Julia Freeman,	200 00
Two notes to town of Monterey,	357 35
Note to Luther Marcy,	350 00
Three notes to Newton Brewer,	475 00
Note to George T. Minor,	200 00
Note to Rawson Harmon,	800 00
Due the School Districts,	564 15
Town orders outstanding,	736 92
By balance,	173 03
	$4,910 45

L. J. TOWNSEND,
NEWTON BREWER,
REUBEN FARGO,
} Selectmen of Monterey.

Monterey, March, 1878.

ANNUAL REPORT

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—OF THE—

TOWN OF MONTEREY,

—AND THEIR—

Settlement with the Treasurer,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 1, 1879.

GREAT BARRINGTON, MASS.:
CLARK W. BRYAN & CO., PRINTERS—COURIER OFFICE.
1879.

Nov 5, 1877.

REPORT.

JOHN H. LANGDON, TREASURER, *DR.*

To cash of W. F. Miner, Treasurer,	$21 63
To interest on M. S. Bidwell's note,	32 83
To cash of E. D. Harmon, collector,	1,112 20
of E. D. Harmon,	19 35
from Sheffield,	19 16
of H. P. Fargo,	283 60
of H. P. Fargo,	100 00
of Alvin Twing,	24 45
of State Pauper Burial,	10 00
from State Corporation Tax,	8 27
from National Bank Tax,	182 15
from State Aid,	54 00
borrowed of Mrs. G. B. Langdon,	100 00
of H. P. Fargo,	196 25
from State School Fund,	216 70
interest on J. H. Langdon's note,	30 00
from Dog Fund,	39 75
from L. B. Moore,	46 00
from Ira Markham,	44
from Oscar T. Stedman,	56 60
from Henry C. Stedman,	44 02
from J. B. Hotchkiss,	12 25
from J. H. Langdon	3 74
from E. D. Harmon, collector,	1,783 33
from interest on School Fund Notes,	21 08
	$4,367 90

JOHN H. LANGDON, TREASURER, *CR.*

By paying interest to E. Hyde,	$3 85
paying interest to J. K. Hyde,	10 50
paying Interest to Sandisfield (Railroad Bonds,)	24 15
paying interest to Luther Marcy,	21 00
paying County Tax for 1877,	544 45
paying interest to Mrs. Freeman,	12 00
paying interest to Ransom Harmon,	48 00
paying State Tax,	160 00

By paying interest to Newton Brewer, treasurer,	$38 14
paying interest to Newton Brewer,	25 00
paying interest to Sandisfield,	24 15
paying George H. Tucker on County Tax,	519 95
paying old orders,	707 88
paying abatements,	54 00
paying Town Orders for the current year,	1,937 41
paying attorney fees,	22 00
Stamps and Stationery,	1 02
Services as Treasurer,	10 00
paying interest on School Fund Notes,	21 08
Cash on hand,	183 34
	$4,367 90

CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

Paid Marcus H. Rogers for printing reports,	$11 50
Martin V. Thomson, amount paid in Judd case,	147 48
Artemas Dowd, care of hearse and statistics,	6 00
L. J. Townsend, referee in Sandisfield case,	6 00
L. J. Townsend, repairing bridge,	8 35
Henry J. Hall, for poles for railing,	2 00
cash paid and expense at Pittsfield,	2 50
L. J. Townsend, for six tramps,	4 00
L. J. Townsend, expressage, postage, &c.,	3 15
Albert Tryon, sealer of weights and measures,	5 00
Treasurer of meeting-house society, rent,	25 00
M. C. Langdon, expressage, postage, and making records,	26 45
M. S. Bidwell, books, &c., furnished on order,	9 55
Forrest May, for damage,	15 00
	$271 98

STATE AID.

Paid Timothy Curtin,	$54 00

SUPPORT OF POOR.

Paid Katy Ham, for Eleanor Ham,	$18 00
Luther Hall, for moving Eleanor Ham,	1 00
A. J. Knapp, for David Hall,	12 43
Town of Lee, for Frank Minsley,	20 98
Town of Lee, for Charles Swan,	11 25
Mary A. Pomeroy, for Mrs. Ham,	51 00
George T. Austin, for David Hall,	97 63
L. J. Townsend for David Hall,	2 75
E. B. Broadhead, for Douglass Willson,	7 00
John B. Hotchkiss, for Mrs. Ham,	144 00
Henry W. Langdon, for Charles H. Pinney,	19 79
City of Haverhill, for Charles H. Pinney,	4 00
H. W. Langdon, for J. Maxwell,	4 00
H. W. Langdon, for David Hall,	1 61
H. W. Langdon, for William Turner,	1 61
H. W. Longdon, for Joseph Gazaw,	3 00
Town of Otis, for Joseph Gazaw,	2 65

Paid L. J. Townsend for Charles H. Pinney,	$4 64
Jonathan Townsend, for William Turner,	89 50
L. J. Townsend, for Charles Swan,	3 00
L. J. Townsend, for William Turner,	1 00
Mrs. Mary A. Pomeroy, for Martha Pomeroy,	52 00
L. J. Townsend, for J. Maxfield,	1 72
James K. Hyde, for O. B. Markham,	1 00
	$505 56

SUPPORT OF SCHOOLS.

Paid Amelia A. Bidwell, teaching,	$195 00
Minnie W. May, teaching,	108 00
Jared Busby, teaching,	104 00
Nell M. Thomson, teaching,	60 00
Bertha L. Hall, teaching,	90 00
Ella L. Burrows, teaching,	42 00
Carrie R. Barnum, teaching,	66 00
Mary E. Walker, teaching,	35 00
Etta J. Smith, teaching,	121 00
Minnie V. Langdon, teaching,	30 00
Rufus W. Barnum, teaching,	55 00
Janie F. Dowd, teaching,	52 50
Mary A. Stedman, teaching,	40 00
Forrest May, teaching,	36 00
F. A. Noteware, for fuel,	5 00
C. L. Bunce, for fuel,	3 00
H. J. Hall, for fuel,	13 00
Francis Broker, for fuel,	16 00
Town of Sandisfield,	13 17
Hyland Dowd, for fuel,	6 50
Lorenzo Webb, articles furnished and services rendered,	16 22
Henry L. Ladd, for fuel,	4 50
Henry Wood, for fuel,	6 00
John C. Hyde for fuel,	13 75
	$1,131 64

HIGHWAYS.

Paid B. S. Carrington,	$40 00	Paid Hyland Dowd, extra work,		$1 50
Eli Bills,	45 00	Timothy Curtin,	"	8 50
J. H. Langdon,	55 00	Daniel Leary,	"	1 00
L. B. Hall,	100 00	J. Maxfield,	"	1 00
Albert Dowd,	60 00	Solomon Purdy,	"	2 25
Eugene McCarty,	40 00	Horace Purdy,	"	2 25
Jonathan Wright,	30 00	L. J. Townsend,	"	2 50
Alanson Rogers,	35 00	J. K. Hyde,	"	5 00
Hyland Dowd,	45 00	Erastus Goeway,	"	2 00
John C. Hyde,	70 00	J. H. Langdon,	"	3 92
Alvan Twing,	43 50			
Alvin Twing, for extra work,	3 00			$612 83
Luther B. Hall, extra work,	16 41			

TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid A. E. Todd, school committee,	$15 00
E. B. Brodhead, school committee,	9 50
M. V. Thomson, school committee,	8 00
George W. Morse, assessor,	27 23
Albert Tryon, assessor,	20 00
C. D. Langdon, assessor,	22 50
L. J. Townsend, selectman,	41 00
J. K. Hyde, selectman,	13 00
I. N. Benedict, selectman,	8 00
	$164 23

Amount of money appropriated for Schools in each district, amount expended, and amount now due:

District No. 1	Received	$121 12	Expended	$126 00	Now due	$ 23
District No. 2	Received	228 82	Expended	204 39	Now due	221 54
District No. 3	Received	164 52	Expended	133 00	Now due	49 56
District No. 4	Received	128 40	Expended	118 00	Now due	92 87
District No. 5	Received	100 33	Expended	104 00	Now due	17 07
District No. 6	Received	112 50	Expended	117 50	Due from	4 90
District No. 7	Received	74 12	Expended	97 50	Now due	9 00
District No. 8	Received	120 28	Expended	127 50	Now due	49 52
District No. 9	Received	102 06	Expended	103 75	Now due	54 96

RECAPITULATION.

Amount of Town Orders given by Selectmen,		2,740 24
For Contingent Expenses,	$271 98	
For Support of Poor,	505 56	
For Support of Schools,	1,131 64	
For Highways,	612 83	
For Town Officers,	164 23	
For State Aid,	54 00	$2,740 24

ASSETS OF THE TOWN MARCH 1st, 1879.

Due from E. D. Harmon, collector of 1877-8,	$1,640 04
Due from State Pauper Account,	19 75
Due from State Aid,	68 00
Execution against Lucy Hubbard,	90 00
H. P. Fargo, on notes,	270 00
Note against W. C. Langdon,	140 00
Two notes against Town of Monterey,	351 35
Note against M. S. Bidwell,	547 21
Note against John H. Langdon,	500 00
Note against C. D. Langdon,	55 64
Note against Isaac Harmon,	50 00
Interest due on School Bonds,	54 42
Note against Emeline C. Harmon,	70 37
Due from owners of estate set on from Sandisfield,	102 12

Road Tools,	$75 00
To balance,	824 17
	$4,858 07

LIABILITIES.

Note to Mrs. G. B. Langdon,	$100 00
Note to James K. Hyde,	150 00
Note to Eliza Hyde,	55 00
Note to Betsey Hale,	130 00
Note to Mrs. Newton Brewer,	50 00
Two notes to First Congregational Society,	675 00
Note to Mrs. Julia Freeman,	200 00
Two notes to Town of Monterey,	351 35
Note to Luther Marcy,	350 00
Three notes to Newton Brewer,	475 00
Note to George T. Miner,	200 00
Note to Rawson Harmon,	800 00
Town Orders outstanding in 1878,	29 04
Due the School Districts,	489 85
Town Orders outstanding, given in 1878-9,	802 83
	$4,858 07

L. J. TOWNSEND,
JAMES K. HYDE,
ISAAC BENEDICT,
} Selectmen of Monterey.

MONTEREY, March 1, 1879.

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SPRINGFIELD, MASS.:
WEAVER, SHIPMAN AND COMPANY, PRINTERS,
1880.

REPORT.

ELI BILL, TREASURER.

	DR.
To cash of J. H. Langdon, Treasurer of 1878,	$183.34
E. D. Harmon, Collector, 1877 and 1878,	1,429.90
Hiram Bill,	15.10
Mrs. E. Harmon, for note and interest,	77.02
M. S. Bidwell, interest,	32.82
M. S. Bidwell, Sandisfield debt,	3.74
H. A. Stedman, Sandisfield debt,	1.74
Newton Brewer, for note,	45.00
C. D. Langdon, interest,	6.68
State Corporation tax,	8.68
National Bank tax,	162.96
State aid,	54,00
M. S. Bidwell, on note,	547.21
M. S. Bidwell, interest,	25.99
J. H. Langdon, on note,	500.00
J. H. Langdon, interest,	26.08
C. D. Langdon, on note,	55.64
C. D. Langdon, interest,	1.62
State, from State School Fund,	313.17
Dog Fund,	31.40
F. G. Heath, Collector, 1879,	3,170.90
A. E. Todd, for books,	3.20
Total,	$6,596.19

CR.

By paying Newton Brewer, interest,	$12.25
Mrs. Newton Brewer, interest,	6.00
George T. Minor, interest,	24.00
Town of Sandisfield, interest on railroad bonds,	24.15

By paying Luther Marcy, principal,	$9.00
Luther Marcy, interest,	21.00
Eliza Hyde, interest,	3.85
J. K. Hyde, interest,	10.50
Mrs. Julia Freeman, interest,	12.00
County, on tax of 1878,	75.33
State tax of 1879,	80.00
Newton Brewer, principal on note	100.00
" " interest,	6.50
J. K. Hyde, principal on note,	450.00
" interest,	7.31
Congregational Society, interest,	38.14
Mrs. G. B. Langdon, principal,	100.00
" " interest,	6.35
G. T. Minor, principal,	200.00
" interest,	6.00
Newton Brewer, principal,	45.80
" " interest,	1.80
" " principal,	300.00
" " interest,	1.30
Eliza W. Hyde, principal,	55.00
" " interest,	3.36
Town of Sandisfield, interest on railroad bonds,	24.15
County Tax of 1879,	538.66
Old Town Orders,	871.14
Town Orders of 1879,	2,851.29
Abatements,	61.38
Town Treasurer, stationery, &c.,	1.00
Town Treasurer, for services,	10.00
Cash on hand,	737.73
Total,	$6,596.19

CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

Paid H. P. Fargo, allowance by assessors,	$1.50
H. Joyner, for making a bill, &c.,	6.00
J. H. Langdon, int. paid, and not charged in settlement,	15.25
C. W. Bryan & Co., for printing reports,	14.00
Artemas Dowd, care of hearse,	12.00
Albert Tryon, care of weights and measures,	5.00

Paid Town of New Marlborough, surveyor,	$2.00
L. J. Townsend, cash paid J. B. Hall for notices to tramps,	.50
L. J. Townsend, cash paid J. B. Hall, for postage and express,	3.50
L. J. Townsend, cash paid J. B. Hall, for running town line,	2.00
F. G. Heath, for deed of land taken of Ira Markham, for tax,	12.19
J. Townsend, Treasurer, rent for Town, of basement room,	25.00
M. C. Langdon, bill for sundries, paid making record, &c.,	24.83
M. V. Thomson, as Town Agent,	5.00
M. V. Thomson, cash paid council,	1.00
Joseph Buck & Sons, fence wire,	32.42
Total,	$162.19

STATE AID.

Paid Timothy Curtin, State aid,	$103.50
Charles C. Gregory,	26.00
Total,	$129.50

SUPPORT OF POOR.

Paid J. B. Hotchkiss, for Mr. Ham,	$10.85
Town of Lee, for C. Swan and family,	11.78
Town of Lee, for Frank Minsly,	3.75
George T. Austin, for D. Hall,	30.53
Town of Pittsfield, for Hattie Swan,	17.00
A. S. Hubbel, for David Hall,	4.75
A. S. Hubbel, for William Turner,	5.25
E. B. Broadhead, for Mrs. Ham,	6.00
Mrs. Knapp, for Mrs. Ham,	33.74
E. B. Culver, for coffin for Mrs. Ham,	12.00
H. W. Langdon, for Gassau,	9.00
H. W. Langdon, for O. B. Markham,	3.60
H. W. Langdon, for William Turner,	2.75
H. W. Langdon, for Charles Pinny,	4.50

Paid F. T. Whiting, prescription for Mrs. Ham,	$1.50
M. S. Bidwell, " " "	.70
Mrs. Pomeroy, for Martha Pomeroy,	52.00
G. D. Tillotson, for Hattie Swan,	27.80
H. Woods, digging grave,	2.00
A. J. Knapp, for D. Hall,	71.72
Town of Pittsfield, burial of Hattie Swan's child,	11.50
L. J. Townsend, for tramp,	.50
" " cash for D. Hall,	4.86
" " cash for William Turner,	3.11
O. B. Markham,	1.70
H. W. Langdon, for B. O. Markham,	1.33
E. B. Culver, coffin for Mrs. Strong,	10.00
J. Townsend,	40.45
Town of New Marlborough, for Mrs. Frederick Forest,	19.50
G. T. Austin, for David Hall,	6.42
Elbert Kinne, for keeping tramp,	.50
Total,	$411.09

SUPPORT OF SCHOOLS.

Paid C. L. Bunce, for fuel,	$9.00
D. S. Busby, for fuel,	6.00
Town of Sandisfield, for schooling,	18.00
C. F. Phelps, for repairing school-house,	13.25
Ida C. Bailey, for teaching,	7.00
R. W. Barnum, for teaching,	128.00
Minnie V. Langdon, "	84.00
Bertha Hall, "	24.00
Etta J. Smith, "	81.00
Amelia A. Bidwell, "	120.00
Alma Hall, carrying scholars,	37.50
C. F. Phelps, for fuel,	12.50
J. Kinne, repairing school-house,	8.00
J. F. Noteware, for rent of room,	2.00
F. A. Noteware, for fuel,	2.50
E. D. Harmon, shingles and carriage,	20.34
Lizzie S. Benson, for teaching,	59.50
L. E. Searl, for carrying scholars,	24.50
H. J. Hall, for fuel,	14.50

Paid Minnie V. Langdon, teaching,	$44.00
Fabius Beckworth, fuel,	8.00
J. Curran, carrying scholars,	55.90
J. Bresnahan, carrying scholars,	14.80
J. Kinne, for blackboard,	2.25
Lizzie Adams, for teaching,	54.00
Mary C. Walker, "	60.00
Amelia A. Bidwell, "	60.00
Mrs. Helen Phelps, "	65.00
J. M. Kinne, work on school-house,	2.50
J. Bresnahan, carrying scholars,	6.00
M. S. Bidwell, books furnished in 1877,	4.15
" " " 1879,	19.05
" fuel furnished in 1879,	7.50
" incidentals, &c., 1879,	8.44
" nails and glass, 1879,	3.45
E. D. Harmon, fuel, stove pipe, &c.,	18.65
M. S. Bidwell, paid M. C. Langdon's bill of sundries,	18.35
" paid School Committee's bill for making fires,	13.75
" paid J. H. Langdon, for lumber,	3.20
Total,	$1,140.58

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Paid W. W. Hall, for work on road,	$45.00
C. L. Bunce, " "	35.00
G. D. Cutting, " "	39.82
" plank,	3.15
Alvin Twing, work on road,	35.00
F. A. Noteware, " "	35.00
Stephen Brosher, " "	2.00
Charles C. Gregory, " "	20.00
Lafayette Battell, " "	10.00
Artemas Dowd, " "	65.00
Alanson Rogers, " " in 1878,	3.00
A. J. Knapp, " "	7.50
Thomas Wood, bridge plank,	3.92
Hyland Dowd, work on road,	54.00
F. Brosher, " "	14.50

Paid F. A. Noteware, work on road,	$7.00
J. C. Hyde, " "	12.00
C. F. Phelps, bridge plank,	3.26
Ferry Brouker, work on road,	25.00
B. S. Carrington, " "	7.00
J. Maxwell, " "	3.83
J. Strong, " "	3.75
L. B. Hall, " "	6.00
Selden Downs, " "	1.25
Elliot Hubbard, " "	2.50
H. J. Hall, " "	16.00
Artemas Dowd, bridge plank,	1.44
O. L. Mansir, work on road,	5.00
C. D. Langdon, " "	6.00
John Currian, " "	12.00
George Ring, " "	1.00
D. S. Busby, " "	6.00
M. V. Thomson, " "	15.00
F. G. Heath, " "	40.00
L. J. Townsend, " "	29.33
" " repairing bridges,	4.80
Henry W. Langdon, nails,	1.26
Horace Purdy, for bridge plank,	1.65
M. S. Bidwell, work on road,	13.50
J. H. Langdon, repairing bridges and work on road,	128.50
H. H. Purdy, work on road,	6.50
Total,	$732.26

TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid Jonathan Townsend, Assessor,	$24.18
George W. Morse, "	26.25
Charles F. Phelps, "	25.00
A. E. Todd, as School Committee,	15.00
M. V. Thomson, "	20.00
E. D. Harmon, "	16.05
L. J. Townsend, as Selectman,	41.00
John H. Langdon, "	10.00
F. G. Heath, as Collector for 1879,	54.00
Total,	$231.48

SCHOOL-HOUSE TAXES REIMBURSED.

To F. G. Heath,	$22.05
Milton Judd,	45.00
George Deland,	8.78
Josiah Brewer,	33.22
H. A. Stedman,	36.86
L. D. Smith,	18.48
Stephen Ellis,	18.12
O. L. Mansir,	23.41
Total,	$205.92

RECAPITULATION.

Amount of Town Orders given by the Selectmen,		$3,013.02
For Contingent Expenses,	$162.19	
For Support of Poor,	411.09	
For Support of School purposes,	1,140.58	
For Highways and Bridges,	732.26	
For Town Officers,	231.48	
For State Aid,	129.50	
For School-house Taxes Reimbursed,	205.92	$3,013.02

ASSETS OF THE TOWN, MARCH 1st, 1880.

Cash on hand,	$737.73
State Aid,	126.50
On note of H. P. Fargo,	286.20
Note, Estate of W. C. Langdon,	140.00
Note, Estate of Isaac Harmon,	50.00
Two Notes, Town of Monterey, $151.35 and 200.00	351.35
Execution against Lucy Hubbard,	90.00
Due from Oscar T. Stedman, and others from Sandisfield,	48.30
Due from Norman S. Sears, " " "	13.10
Due from William Hall, " " "	44.28
Due from Charles C. Gregory,	13.85
Interest on School Bonds,	21.09
Road Tools: cart, plough, scraper and iron bar,	75.00
On note of E. D. Harmon,	595.74
Collector's deed of land to Town, taken for tax,	12.19
To balance,	593.60
Total,	$3,098.93

LIABILITIES.

Note to Betsey Hale,	$130.00
Note to Mrs. Newton Brewer,	50.00
Two notes to First Congregational Society,	575.00
Note to Mrs. Julia Freeman,	200.00
Two notes to Town of Monterey,	351.35
Note to Luther Marcy,	341.00
Note to Rawson Harmon,	800.00
Due the School Districts in 1879,	489.85
Town Orders of 1879 and 1880, outstanding,	161.73

L. J. TOWNSEND,
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HENRY H. PURDY,
} Selectmen of Monterey.

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STATE HOUSE, BOSTON
APR 29 1881

REPORT.

ELI BILL, TREASURER.

	DR.
To cash on hand, March 1st, 1880,	$737 73
of M. V. Thomson, for school books,	2 20
on H. P. Fargo's note,	10 00
E. D. Harmon's note,	34 70
Interest Town note,	21 08
E. D. Harmon, note,	86 76
E. D. Harmon, note,	6 70
E. D. Harmon, note,	74 06
E. D. Harmon, note,	83 00
E. D. Harmon, note,	11 50
E. D. Harmon, note,	4 25
Corporation tax,	12 28
National Bank tax,	142 57
State aid, 1877,	22 50
State aid, 1879,	70 00
Relief of Soldiers,	5 00
E. D. Harmon, on note,	50 00
Dog Fund,	23 05
School fund from State,	211 79
William A. Hall, on Sandisfield debt,	49 59
M. S. Bidwell, collector for 1880,	1,940 15
H. P. Fargo, on notes,	5 00
	$3,603 91

	CR.
By cash paid on Town note,	$21 08
Recording collector deed,	60
Exchange on check,	25
Recording deed,	1 00
Interest to Rawson Harmon,	86 53
Rawson Harmon, on note principal,	400 00
Mrs. Newton Brewer, interest,	3 00
Luther Marcy, interest,	20 46
Luther Marcy, on note,	5 00
Mrs. Freemon, interest,	12 00
Betsey Hale, interest,	19 94
Betsey Hale, on note,	10 85
J. L. Hammet, school apparatus,	34 80
Town Sandisfield, interest,	48 30
State tax,	240 00
Society note,	34 40
Old town orders,	173 20
Town orders of 1880,	2,169 57

Abatements,		10 59
Stationery, &c.,		1 00
Services as treasurer,		10 00
Cash on hand,		301 34
		$3,603 91

TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid George W. Morse, services as assessor,	$30 00
C. D. Langdon, services as assessor,	28 50
C. F. Phelps, services as assessor,	25 00
L. J. Townsend, services as selectman,	40 00
J. K. Hyde, services as selectman,	15 00
L. B. Hall, services as selectman,	12 00
M. V. Thomson, services as school committee,	35 00
J. L. Twing, services as school committee,	5 00
M. V. Langdon, services as school committee,	1 50
A. E. Todd, services as school committee,	4 28
E. D. Harmon, services as school committee,	2 50
	$198 78

SCHOOLS.

Paid A. E. Todd, to pay Great Barrington for schooling,	$10 00
A. E. Todd, to pay Otis for schooling,	10 00
A. E. Todd, to pay sundries for schools,	13 85
Baker, Pratt & Co., for school books,	8 94
M. S. Bidwell, for school books,	69 25
Lizzie B. Adams, for teaching,	40 00
G. W. Morse, for cleaning school house,	2 50
C. F. Phelps, for cleaning school house,	3 00
Helen L. Phelps, for teaching,	42 50
Minnie V. Langdon, for teaching,	93 50
Mary C. Walker, for teaching,	40 00
Amelia A. Bidwell, for teaching,	120 00
Rufus W. Barnum, for teaching,	100 00
S. A. Clark, for teaching,	24 00
Jessie F. Hastings, for teachings,	102 50
Cora A. Potts, for teaching,	30 00
Amelia A. Bidwell, for teaching,	32 50
Helen Townsend, for teaching,	80 00
W. S. Barnum, for stove for school,	8 00
Artemas Dowd, for fuel,	16 80
Henry J. Hall, for fuel,	14 50
M. C. Langdon, for fuel,	9 00
G. W. Morse, for fuel,	11 00
M. S. Bidwell, fuel and sundries for schools,	17 96
M. C. Langdon, teachers board,	10 00
E. D. Harmon, for set of maps,	7 00
Libbie Minor, for teaching,	20 00
Patrick O. Hare, for carrying scholars,	16 50
M. V. Thomson, balance on book and sundry accounts,	6 89
Bertha Hall, for teaching,	34 00
	$954 19

CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

Paid E. D. Harmon, for collecting tax 1877,	$39 50
E. D. Harmon, for collector's deed, Evans tax,	45 00
E. D. Harmon, for collector's deed, Markham tax,	18 91
E. D. Harmon, for collecting tax 1878,	44 75

Elbridge Smith, damage to wagon,	2 50
Weaver, Shipman & Co., for printing report,	9 28
C. W. Bryan & Co., for blank town orders,	2 50
Artemas Dowd, care of hearse and returning deaths,	21 00
M. C. Langdon, for expressage, postage and records,	28 38
Jonathan Townsend, treasurer,	25 00
Town of Sandisfield, account of surveyor,	4 50
L. J. Townsend, running lines and cash paid,	14 94
	$256 26

STATE AID.

Paid Timothy Curtin,	$80 00	
Charles C. Gregory,	96 00	—176 00

POOR.

Paid E. B. Broadhead, for Dwight Collins,	$4 50
Mrs. C. J. Ray, for John Strong,	6 00
George T. Austin, for David Hall,	28 29
O. Cross, for coffin for David Hall,	5 00
Mrs. Pomeroy, for Martha Pomeroy,	52 00
Harlow A. Van Deusen, for John Strong,	14 50
Lafayette Battell, for Charles Farnham,	13 50
M. S. Bidwell, for O. B. Markham,	3 50
H. W. Langdon, for O. B. Markham,	10 22
Jonathan Townsend, for William Turner,	4 28
Reuben Fargo, for William Turner,	20 00
J. K. Hyde, for William Turner,	8 00
J. K. Hyde, for O. B. Markham,	6 27
L. J. Townsend, for O. B. Markham,	3 15
H. Woods, for digging grave for David Hall,	3 00
H. Woods, for C. Farnham, board,	8 56
Amount paid,	$190 79

HIGHWAYS.

Paid S. B. Carrington,	$20 00	Paid Clarence Johnson,	2 00
Cornelius McAuliff,	6 18	Jared Busby,	6 12
Mr. Frank,	3 00	B. B. Hamblin,	1 70
John Currian,	3 12	Mrs. Mary Stephens,	2 40
Lafayette Battell,	2 00	George G. Martin,	21 66
Daniel O'Leary,	2 50	Jonathan Wright,	3 33
Henry Woods,	2 50	C. W. Wright,	60
C. D. Curtin,	8 18	E. N. Huggins,	3 24
Daniel Leary,	1 75	F. A. Noteware,	4 51
Eli Bill,	65 61	J. F. Noteware,	60
Charles Crosby,	4 12	Patrick O. Hare,	2 65
J. K. Hadsell,	7 78	George E. Bunce,	47 66
M. V. Thompson,	15 00	E. Enoe,	1 87
M. S. Bidwell,	34 90	Hyland Dowd,	39 36
L. M. Hall,	50	R. M. Dowd,	75
R. C. Fargo,	2 45	Fabius Beckwith,	6 81
Emit Gowey,	6 00	T. D. Hale,	6 00
C. W. Gregory,	1 25	Amos Smith,	17 18
H. A. Stedman,	1 25	Reuben Dowd,	8 38
F. G. Heath,	5 26	George T. Austin,	2 50
J. H. Langdon,	25 71	Timothy Burk,	5 35
Lorenzo Webb,	5 25	G. W. Morse,	6 00
J. K. Hadsell,	9 51	J. K. Hyde,	28 00
H. P. Fargo,	8 87	George T. Minor,	7 89
P. C. Langdon,	16 75	W. W. Hall,	4 19
George D. Cutting,	56 89	J. E. Hall,	60

Paid Selden Downs,	4 00	Paid Mrs. B. F. Hall,	3 40
Newton Brewer,	2 50	Mrs. Emiline Harmon,	17 00
Edward Ray,	16 62	Forrest May,	9 00
Fred Brouker,	4 68	Reuben Fargo,	13 00
Stephen Brosher,	22 80	Silas Hyde,	2 00
George Fuller,	7 50	Jonathan Townsend,	3 75
R. W. Barnum,	4 80	John C. Hyde,	13 00
L. B. Hall,	18 00	H. E. Moore,	2 00
C. D. Langdon,	9 88	D. W. Letfingwell,	2 00
Francis Brosher,	8 00	O. B. Markham,	60
George Wheeler,	4 62	J. B. Hotchkiss,	3 67
Albert Dowd,	101 14	Alvin Twing,	6 08
John B. Pixley,	10 91	William S. Bidwell,	9 75
Ira Pixley,	1 50	J. A. Twing,	88
D. S. Busby,	10 53	O. T. Stedman,	13 92
Harvey Johnson,	3 97	H. C. Stedman,	10 48
John H. Forrest,	1 60	H. J. Keyes,	5 40
Stephen Hatch,	1 28	N. S. Sears,	1 00

RECAPITULATION.

Amount of Town orders given by Selectmen,		$2,724 95
For Contingent Expenses,	$256 26	
For Support of Schools,	994 19	
For Highways,	908 95	
For Support of Poor,	190 77	
For Town Officers,	198 78	
For State Aid,	176 00	$2,724 95

ASSETS OF THE TOWN, MARCH 5th, 1881.

Cash on hand,	$301 84
Two notes by Town of Monterey, $151.35 and $200.00,	351 35
Note of W. C. Langdon,	140 00
Note of Isaac Harmon,	50 00
Note of H. P. Fargo,	263 37
Note of E. D. Harmon,	107 00
Collector's deed for Evans tax,	45 00
Collector's deed for Ira Markham's tax,	18 91
Collector's deed for Ira Markham's tax of 1879,	12 19
Amount due from Individuals from Sandisfield,	305 96
School books, crayons and erasers on hand,	58 09
Road tools, cart, plough, iron bar,	25 00
Execution against Lucy Hubbard,	90 00
Due from M. S. Bidwell, collector of tax, 1880,	1,510 56
State aid due from State,	128 00
	$3,407 27

LIABILITIES OF TOWN.

Note to Betsey Hale,	$110 00
Note to Mrs. Newton Brewer,	50 00
Note to Mrs. Julia Freeman,	200 00
Two notes to First Congregational Society,	575 00
Two notes to the Town of Monterey,	351 35
Note to Rawson Harmon,	400 00
Note to Luther Marcy,	346 00
Town orders outstanding,	555 40
Balance in favor of Town,	819 52
	$3,407 27

L. J. TOWNSEND, J. K. HYDE, L. B. HALL, Selectmen of Monterey.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON
MAY 1882

ANNUAL REPORT

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—OF THE—

TOWN OF MONTEREY,

—AND THEIR—

Settlement with the Treasurer,

For the Year Ending March 6, 1882.

REPORT

ELI BILLS, TREASURER.	DR.
To Cash on hand, March 1st, 1881,	$301 34
Interest on Town Notes,	21 08
M. S. Bidwell, Collector for 1880,	400 87
do. do.	600 00
E. D. Harmon, on note,	6 00
Borrowed of Newton Brewer, Treasurer,	200 00
M. S. Bidwell, Collector for 1881,	2,600 00
do. do.	200 00
Corporation Tax,	12 40
National Bank Tax,	148 86
State Aid,	48 00
Relief of Soldiers,	80 00
E. D. Harmon, note,	7 00
From Dog Fund,	15 74
From State School Fund,	212 21
From Sheffield for Peter Brazer,	14 37
From E. C. Langdon, for deed of Martha W. Evans,	54 72
From M. S. Bidwell, Collector for 1880,	519 69
From Wm. S. Bidwell, Collector for 1881,	54 88
From M. V. Thompson, School Books 1880,	3 70
For School Books, 1881,	14 90
	$5,523 76

ELI BILLS, TREASURER.	CR.
By cash paid interest on Town notes,	$ 21 08
Interest to Mrs. Newton Brewer,	3 00
Luther Marcy, on note,	20 00
Luther Marcy, interest,	20 41
Rawson Harmon, interest,	24 00

County tax, 1881,	471 87
Discount on taxes,	130 00
Clark W. Bryan & Co., printing reports,	9 00
Luther Marcy, on note,	10 00
Discount on Taxes,	6 00
Julia Freeman, interest,	12 00
Betsey Hale interest,	6 60
Betsey Hale, on note,	10 00
State Tax,	240 00
Town of Sandisfield, interest,	48 30
Newton Brewer, Treasurer, interest,	40 40
Luther Marcy, on note,	10 00
Discount on Check,	25
County Tax, 1880,	493 65
Old Town Orders,	555 40
Town Orders for current year,	2,554 74
Abatements,	52 17
Stationery and stamps,	1 00
Services as Treasurer,	10 00
Cash on hand,	603 89
	$5,523 76

CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

Paid W. S. Bidwell, Collecter, 1881,	$ 14 50
M. S. Bidwell, " 1880,	53 00
Henry P. Fargo, " 1875 and 1876,	76 75
S. E. Nichols, printing school report,	3 25
Albert Tryon, Sealer of weights and measures 1880,	5 00
Albert Tryon, repairing road scraper,	4 00
M. C. Langdon, express, postage and records,	24 68
Orson L. Dowd, damage,	300 00
L. J. Townsend, Agent, costs in Dowd suit,	92 49
John A. Brewer, wire for fences,	8 94
H. C. Joyner, costs in suit against Mrs. Kenyon,	9 88
Geo. D. Cutting, for watering trough,	10 00
O. W. Cross, for guide boards,	10 00
Artemas Dowd, care of hearse statistics,	8 75
A. Tryon, Sealer of Weights and Measures,	5 00
M. C. Langdon, for time investigating claim against Lucy M. Kenyon, and claim of Lenox, for aid furnished L. D. Smith, team and expenses,	10 00
Newton Brewer building bridge,	7 25
Cornelius D. Curtin, pole for railing,	75
	$644 24

STATE AID.

Paid Timothy Curtin,	$ 72 00
Charles C. Gregory	32 00
Mrs. Sarah J. Gregory,	24 00
	$128 00

SCHOOLS.

Paid M. V. Thomson for cleaning and repairing School Houses,	$ 12 85
M. V. Thomson for School books,	33 10
Miss J. F. Hastings for teaching	50 00
Miss Ella Barnum for teaching,	42 50
Patrick Collins for carrying scholars,	17 20

Miss Mary M. Stedman for teaching,	50 00
Miss Amelia O. Slater for teaching,	60 50
Miss Nellie L. Townsend for teaching,	45 00
Wm. A. Hall for fuel,	10 00
Wm. S. Barnum for repairing stove and and stove pipe,	12 67
S. E. Nichols, bill school books,	28 80
Miss Amelia O. Slater for teaching,	54 00
Rufus W. Barnum for teaching,	45 00
Miss Ella Barnum for teaching,	45 00
Miss Libbie M. Miner for teaching,	45 00
Henry J. Hall for fuel,	15 00
Miss Helen L. Townsend for teaching,	45 00
H. W. Langdon for insurance,	16 80
Artemas Dowd for fuel,	15 00
Patrick Collins for carrying scholars,	22 50
M. C. Langdon for two tables for school house,	2 00
H. C. Joyner for insurance,	6 40
M. C. Langdon for partition at school house,	11 37
Miss Lizzie M. Wilcox for teaching,	66 00
Rufus W. Barnum for teaching,	60 00
Frank W. Swett for teaching,	120 00
Hyland Dowd for fuel,	8 00
Miss Jennie Down for teaching,	57 00
Miss Mary M. Stedman for teaching,	72 00
Wm. A. Hall for fuel,	11 25
Geo. W. Morse for fuel,	9 75
Miss Helen L. Townsend for teaching,	57 00
M. V. Thomson bill furnished schools,	13 72
M. V. Thomson for building fires, etc.,	12 23
	$1172 68

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Paid B. S. Carrington, Surveyor, District No. 1,	$ 48 40
Eli Bills, " " " 2,	139 07
L. B. Hall, " " " 3,	138 48
A. M. Dowd, " " " 4,	70 00
Eugene McCarthy, " " " 5,	34 21
F. A. Noteware, " " " 6,	35 28
James M. Kinnie, " " " 7,	32 46
Fabius Beckwith, " " " 8,	75 80
Wallace W. Hall, " " " 9,	104 54
H. C. Stedman, " " " 10,	42 52
C. L. Brewer, for work in " " 7,	12 20
John H. Purdy & Co. bill lumber for bridges and sluices,	18 54
Henry H. Purdy, Plank in 1880,	2 75
James McManus, work in 1880,	1 25
O. L. Mansir, work in 1880,	10 37
C. M. Ball, work in 1880,	3 90
C. Dearstyne, work in 1880,	60
Miles Whitney, work in 1880,	3 40
Charles Gregory, work in 1880,	3 30
Eugene McCarty, work in 1880,	8 76
	$785 63

TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid C. D. Langdon, services as assessor,	$ 29 00
Wm. H. Miner, services as assessor,	27 50
Francis G. Heath, services as assessor,	5 00
M. C. Langdon, services as selectman,	30 00
Artemas Dowd, services as selectman,	18 00
Newton Brewer, services as selectman,	10 00
M. V. Thomson, services as school committee,	25 00
Rufus W. Barnum, services as school committee,	12 00
Miss Mary M. Stedman, services as school committee,	11 00
	$167 50

POOR:

		$ 16 67
Paid	Ruth A. Victory for Martha Pomeroy,	3 00
	Chester B. Scudder " "	56 00
	Benjamin Brayman " "	1 82
	H. W. Langdon " "	3 00
	Miss Mary E. Brayman " "	29 43
	Henry Woods for Charles Farnham	43 50
	Mrs. Sarah J. Gregory for Chas. Farnham,	3 34
	M. S. Bidwell for Charles Farnham,	1 35
	Artemas Dowd for Charles Farnham	17 65
	John C. Hyde for Wm. Turner.	7 50
	Artemas Dowd " "	3 00
	M. S. Bidwell, " "	24 60
	H. W. Langdon for Bruce Markham's family.	10 70
	Artemas Dowd for Frank Minsley's family.	14 00
	Town of Lee " " "	8 30
	H. W. Langdon for Peter Brazer and family,	6 00
	Dr. J. S. Smith " " "	1 50
	Geo. T. Austin for Samuel H. Austin	
		$251 52

RECAPITULATION.

Amount of orders given by the selectmen.		3,149 57
For contingent expenses,	$644 24	
Support of schools	1172 68	
Highways,	785 63	
Support of Poor,	251 52	
Town Officers,	167 50	
State Aid.	128 00	
		$3,149 57

ASSETS OF THE TOWN.

Cash on hand,	$ 603 89
Two notes of town of Monterey,	351 35
Note of W. C. Langdon,	140 00
Note of Isaac Harmon,	50 00
Note of Henry P. Fargo,	279 17
Note of E. D. Harmon,	100 42
Collector's deed for Ira Markham's tax,	23 75
" " " " 1879.	15 83
Amount due from individuals from Sandisfield.	372 61
Note of Lucy M. Kenyon and David S. Draper,	159 79
Amount school books on hand,	72 25
Amount due from individuals for school books,	23 37
Road tools, cart, plough, scraper, etc.,	25 00
State aid due from State,	112 00
Indebtedness of the town,	247 75
	$2,577 18

LIABILITIES OF TOWN.

Note to Betsey Hale,	$ 100 00
Note to Mrs. Newton Brewer,	50 00
Note to Mrs. Julia Freeman,	200 00
Two notes to First Congregational Society,	575 00
Two notes to town of Monterey,	351 35
Note to Newton Brewer, Treasurer,	200 00
Note to Rawson Harmon,	400 00
Note to Luther Marcy,	306 00
Town orders outstanding,	394 83
	$2,577 18

M. C. LANGDON, NEWTON BREWER, ARTEMAS DOWD, } Selectmen of Monterey.

Monterey, March 6, 1882.

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SETTLEMENT WITH THE TREASURER,

—FOR THE—

YEAR + ENDING + MARCH + 3d, + 1883.

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1883.

REPORT.

TO THE INHABITANTS OF THE TOWN OF MONTEREY:

The Selectmen respectfully submit the following report of the receipts and expenditures for the Town of Monterey for the year 1882:

1882.		CR.	
March 14,	By paying interest to Mrs. Norton Brown,	$3 00	
" 15.	" " on Town Notes.	21 08	
July 31.	" " to Rawson Hannon,	24 00	
Aug. 21,	" " to Luther Marey,	18 36	
" 21.	" " to Mrs. Julia Freeman,	12 00	
Sept. 2.	" Discount on Taxes,	138 25	
Dec. 10,	" State Tax,	320 00	
1883.			
Jan'y 1,	" Interest to J. C. Hyde, Treasurer,	46 40	
Nov. 2,	" Discount on Taxes,	17 35	
	" County Tax,	471 87	
	" Old Town Orders,	338 83	
	" Orders for Current Year,	3,014 69	
	" Abatements,	14 77	
	" J. M. Langdon's Note and Interest,	417 20	
	" Stamps and Stationery,	1 00	
	" Services as Treasurer,	10 00	
	" Cash on Hand,	708 01	
			$5,576 81

ELI BILLS, TREASURER.

1882.		DR.	
March 4.	To Cash on Hand at last settlement,	$603 89	
	" of H. P. Fargo on Note,	76 75	
April 10.	" of E. D. Hannon on Note,	10 00	
" 15.	" Interest on Town Note,	21 08	
May 27.	" of L. J. Townsend, Agent for Martha Evans's Deed,	54 00	
	" from L. J. Townsend, Agent for Ira Markham's Deed,	40 25	
July 19.	From E. D. Hannon on Note,	4 00	
" 28.	" E. D. Hannon on Note,	10 00	
Aug. 9.	To Cash for Kenyon & Draper's Note,	163 28	
	" borrowed of J. M Langdon,	400 00	
Sept. 2.	" E. D. Hannon on Note,	88 68	
Dec. 10.	" for Corporation Tax,	25 20	
	" National Bank Tax,	138 62	
	" State Aid,	88 00	
	" Relief of Soldiers,	24 00	
1883.			
Jan'y 5.	" from Dog Tax,	23 33	
" 26.	" " State School Fund,	213 26	
Feb'y 27.	" " Corporation Tax,	30 24	
	" " J. H. Langdon, Collector,	3,351 11	
	" " School Committee for books,	34 82	
	" " School Committee for windows sold,	2 30	
	" " H. P. Fargo on Note,	100 00	
	" " Geo. H. Wheeler for Auctioneer's License,	2 00	
	" " H. P. Fargo for Auctioneer's License,	2 00	
	" " Albert Tryon for " "	2 00	
	" " Isaac Hannon's Note and Interest,	68 00	
			$5,576 81

ELI BILLS, TREASURER.

SCHOOLS.

Paid Patrick Collins, carrying scholars,	$7 20	
" Town of Otis, schooling scholars,	40 00	
" " New Marlboro,' schooling scholars,	30 00	
" " Sandesfield, "	15 00	
" " Great Barrington, "	5 00	
" M. V. Thomson, cleaning school-houses,	13 00	
" M. V. Thomson, windows, No. 4,	10 15	
" Miss Mary M. Stedman, teaching,	50 00	
" " Jennie E. Langdon, "	47 50	
" " Jennie Dowd, "	47 50	
" " Eloise T. Barnum, "	55 00	
" " Helen L. Townsend, "	47 50	
" O. L. Mansie, fuel,	15 00	
" O. L. Mansie, carrying scholars,	15 75	
" Henry J. Hall, fuel,	15 00	
" M. V. Thomson, coal,	16 50	
" M. V. Thomson, school books,	47 74	

Paid Miss [illegible]n L. Townsend, teaching,	$50 00	
" " Eloise T. Barnum, "	60 00	
" " Jennie E. Langdon, "	40 00	
" " Mary L. Dowd, "	55 00	
" Mrs. Jennie Rogers, "	47 50	
" O. L. Mansie, carrying scholars,	17 25	
" Rufus W. Barnum, stove and pipe,	21 45	
" Miss Grace Dowd, teaching,	32 00	
" " Mary L. Dowd, "	66 00	
" William Sherrett, "	120 00	
" Miss Eloise T. Barnum, teaching,	67 00	
" M. V. Thomson, crayon and erasures,	5 75	
" George W. Morse, fuel,	9 50	
" M. S. Bidwill, sundries,	2 51	
" Hyland Dowd, fuel and floor to wood shed,	15 27	
" School Committee, sundries,	8 80	
" O. L. Mansie, fuel,	15 00	
" Town of Great Barrington, schooling scholars,	5 00	
" Minnie Gregory, teaching,	57 00	
" Town of Sandisfield, schooling scholars,	15 00	
" Patrick Collins, carrying scholars,	23 30	
" M. V. Thomas, sundries,	7 80	
" Artemas Dowd, wood and building fires,	4 00	
" J. K. Hadsell, board for fence,	15 00	
" J. H. Langdon, lumber and posts,	14 16	
" D. C. Tryon, building fence,	11 25	
" H. W. Langdon, 47 lbs. nails for fence,	2 23	
		$1,265 61

CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

Paid Jonathan Townsend, Treasurer,	$25 00	
" Geo. Otis, printing reports,	10 00	
" Geo. Otis, printing 1000 Town order blanks,	2 00	
" Albert Tryon, sealer of weights and measures,	5 00	
" John H. Langdon, Collector, 1882,	15 00	
" M. C. Langdon, express, postage and records,	27 49	
" Artemas Dowd, driving hearse and statistics,	19 25	
" M. C. Langdon, 3 days, investigating settlement of Sam'l H. Austin,	3 00	
" Artemas Dowd, 3 days, team and expenses, investigating settlement of Sam'l H. Austin,	6 00	
" Express on clothing to Wm. H. Morse,	50	
" O. L. Mansie, damage to horse in 1880,	8 00	
" Hearse,	318 00	
" Expenses to buy hearse and get it from Chester,	12 50	
		$451 74

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Paid Eli Bills,	$145 74	
" James Martin,	3 00	
" Wm. E. Stormes,	1 25	
" Henry Woods, work in 1880,	50	
" George Keyes,	10 00	
" L. B. Hall,	17 25	
" Geo. D. Cutting,	11 50	
" Frederick Fuller,	10 50	
" Reuben Strong,	4 50	
" Daniel Lean,	1 00	
" Alvin Twing,	5 00	
" F. A. Noteware,	16 75	
" Bill for gravelling,	22 50	
" B. S. Carrington,	5 00	
" H. C. Stedman,	20 00	
" Edward Ray,	7 50	
" Peter Farley,	56 62	
" C. L. Bunce,	25 00	
" Uriah Brett, chestnut lumber,	23 47	
" J. A. Brewer, hardware for bridge,	4 34	
" Mrs. E. C. Harmon,	13 50	
" Clifford Brochu, sawing,	4 12	
" Geo. W. Morse,	2 50	
" J. L. Twing,	5 00	
" D. S. Busby,	12 80	
" Lester Busby,	12 25	
" Lester Busby, plank,	4 36	
" J. H. Langdon, lumber for bridges and sluices,	53 34	
" J. H. Langdon, work,	32 25	
" Silas W. Hyde, bridges,	60 00	
" Silas W. Hyde,	49 50	
" Chas. M. Ball,	75	
" C. D. Curtin, plank for bridge,	6 08	
" G. L. Sheldon, making rods,	3 00	
" R. Barbour, making braces and plates,	2 25	
" A. M. Dowd, cutting and drawing lumber,	7 50	

REPORT.

TO THE INHABITANTS OF THE TOWN OF MONTEREY:

The Selectmen respectfully submit the following report of the receipts and expenditures for the Town of Monterey for the year 1882:

			CR.	
1882.				
March 14.	By paying interest to Mrs. Norton Brown,		$3 00	
" 15.	" " " on Town Notes.		21 08	
July 31.	" " to Rawson Hannon,		24 00	
Aug. 21.	" " to Luther Marey,		18 36	
" 21.	" " to Mrs. Julia Freeman,		12 00	
Sept. 2.	" Discount on Taxes,		138 25	
Dec. 10.	" State Tax,		320 00	
1883.				
Jan'y 1.	" Interest to J. C. Hyde, Treasurer,		46 40	
Nov. 2.	" Discount on Taxes,		17 35	
	" County Tax,		471 87	
	" Old Town Orders,		338 83	
	" Orders for Current Year,		3,014 69	
	" Abatements,		14 77	
	" J. M. Langdon's Note and Interest,		417 20	
	" Stamps and Stationery,		1 00	
	" Services as Treasurer,		10 00	
	" Cash on Hand,		708 01	
				$5,576 81

ELI BILLS, TREASURER.

		DR.	
1882.			
March 4.	To Cash on Hand at last settlement,	$603 89	
	" of H. P. Fargo on Note,	76 75	
April 10.	" of E. D. Hannon on Note,	10 00	
" 15.	" Interest on Town Note,	21 08	
May 27.	" of L. J. Townsend, Agent for Martha Evans's Deed,	54 00	
	" from L. J. Townsend, Agent for Ira Markham's Deed,	40 25	
July 19.	From E. D. Hannon on Note,	4 00	
" 28.	" E. D. Hannon on Note,	10 00	
Aug. 9,	To Cash for Kenyon & Draper's Note,	163 28	
	" borrowed of J. M Langdon,	400 00	
	" E. D. Hannon on Note,	88 68	
Sept. 2.	" for Corporation Tax,	25 20	
Dec. 10.	" National Bank Tax,	138 62	
	" State Aid,	88 00	
	" Relief of Soldiers,	24 00	
1883.			
Jan'y 5.	" from Dog Tax,	23 33	
" 26.	" " State School Fund,	213 26	
Feb'y 27.	" " Corporation Tax,	30 24	
	" " J. H. Langdon, Collector,	3,351 11	
	" " School Committee for books,	34 82	
	" " School Committee for windows sold,	2 50	
	" " H. P. Fargo on Note,	100 00	
	" " Geo. H. Wheeler for Auctioneer's License,	2 00	
	" " H. P. Fargo for Auctioneer's License,	2 00	
	" " Albert Tryon for " "	2 00	
	" " Isaac Hannon's Note and Interest,	68 00	
			$5,576 81

ELI BILLS, TREASURER.

SCHOOLS.

Paid Patrick Collins, carrying scholars,	$7 20
" Town of Otis, schooling scholars,	40 00
" " New Marlboro,' schooling scholars,	30 00
" " Sandesfield, "	15 00
" " Great Barrington, "	5 00
" M. V. Thomson, cleaning school-houses,	13 00
" M. V. Thomson, windows, No. 4,	10 15
" Miss Mary M. Stedman, teaching,	50 00
" " Jennie E. Langdon, "	47 50
" " Jennie Dowd, "	47 50
" " Eloise T. Barnum, "	55 00
" " Helen L. Townsend, "	47 50
" O. L. Mansie, fuel,	15 00
" O. L. Mansie, carrying scholars,	15 75
" Henry J. Hall, fuel,	15 00
" M. V. Thomson, coal,	16 50
Paid Miss Helen L. Townsend, teaching,	$50 00
" " Eloise T. Barnum, "	60 00
" " Jennie E. Langdon, "	40 00
" " Mary L. Dowd, "	55 00
" Mrs. Jennie Rogers, "	47 50
" O. L. Mansie, carrying scholars,	17 25
" Rufus W. Barnum, stove and pipe,	21 45
" Miss Grace Dowd, teaching,	32 00
" " Mary L. Dowd, "	66 00
" William Sherrett, "	120 00
" Miss Eloise T. Barnum, teaching,	67 00
" M. V. Thomson, crayon and erasures,	5 75
" George W. Morse, fuel,	9 50
" M. S. Bidwill, sundries,	2 51
" Hyland Dowd, fuel and floor to wood shed,	15 27
" School Committee, sundries,	8 80
" O. L. Mansie, fuel,	15 00
" Town of Great Barrington, schooling scholars,	5 00
" Minnie Gregory, teaching,	57 00
" Town of Sandisfield, schooling scholars,	15 00
" Patrick Collins, carrying scholars,	23 30
" M. V. Thomas, sundries,	7 80
" Artemas Dowd, wood and building fires,	4 00
" J. K. Hadsell, board for fence,	15 00
" J. H. Langdon, lumber and posts,	14 16
" D. C. Tryon, building fence,	11 25
" H. W. Langdon, 47 lbs. nails for fence,	2 23
	$1,265 61

CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

Paid Jonathan Townsend, Treasurer,	$25 00
" Geo. Otis, printing reports,	10 00
" Geo. Otis, printing 1000 Town order blanks,	2 00
" Albert Tryon, sealer of weights and measures,	5 00
" John H. Langdon, Collector, 1882,	15 00
" M. C. Langdon, express, postage and records,	27 49
" Artemas Dowd, driving hearse and statistics,	19 25
" M. C. Langdon, 3 days, investigating settlement of Sam'l H. Austin,	3 00
" Artemas Dowd, 3 days, team and expenses, investigating settlement of Sam'l H. Austin,	6 00
" Express on clothing to Wm. H. Morse,	50
" O. L. Mansie, damage to horse in 1880,	8 00
" Hearse,	318 00
" Expenses to buy hearse and get it from Chester,	12 50
	$451 74

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Paid Eli Bills,	$145 74
" James Martin,	3 00
" Wm. E. Stormes,	1 25
" Henry Woods, work in 1880,	50
" George Keyes,	10 00
" L. B. Hall,	17 25
" Geo. D. Cutting,	11 50
" Frederick Fuller,	10 50
" Reuben Strong,	4 50
" Daniel Lean,	1 00
" Alvin Twing,	5 00
" F. A. Noteware,	16 75
" Bill for gravelling,	22 50
" B. S. Carrington,	5 00
" H. C. Stedman,	20 00
" Edward Ray,	7 50
" Peter Farley,	56 62
" C. L. Bunce,	25 00
" Uriah Brett, chestnut lumber,	23 47
" J. A. Brewer, hardware for bridge,	4 34
" Mrs. E. C. Harmon,	13 50
" Clifford Brochu, sawing,	4 12
" Geo. W. Morse,	2 50
" J. L. Twing,	5 00
" D. S. Busby,	12 80
" Lester Busby,	12 25
" Lester Busby, plank,	4 36
" J. H. Langdon, lumber for bridges and sluices,	53 34
" J. H. Langdon, work,	32 25
" Silas W. Hyde, bridges,	60 00
" Silas W. Hyde,	49 50
" Chas. M. Ball,	75
" C. D. Curtin, plank for bridge,	6 08
" G. L. Sheldon, making rods,	3 00
" R. Barbour, making braces and plates,	2 25

Paid F[illegible]nker, plank and cutting and drawing lumber,	$10 00	
" Spikes for bridge,	1 25	
" Work on bridge,	13 00	
" C. D. Curtin,	2 50	
" Chas. Wilson,	15 00	
" Artemas Dowd,	120 80	
" H. W. Langdon, nails,	60	
		$823 77

STATE AID.

Paid Timothy Curtin,	$72 00	
" Mrs. Sarah J. Gregory,	48 00	
		$120 00

POOR.

Paid Geo. T. Austin, for Sam'l H. Austin,	$72 00	
" Benj. Brayman, for Martha Pomeroy,	48 00	
" H. W. Langdon, for O. B. Markham,	31 26	
" O. L. Mansie, "	1 00	
" Sarah J. Gregory for Charles Farnham,	55 50	
" O. L. Mansie, for "	2 37	
" W. S. Tyrrel for "	1 00	
" John C. Hyde for Wm. Turner,	12 00	
" John C. Hyde, clothing for Wm. Turner,	9 87	
" Peter Brazee,	11 42	
" Dr. J. S. Smith, for Mrs. P. Brazee,	2 50	
" H. W. Langdon, for Mrs Henry Lisco,	2 85	
" M. S. Bidwell, for "	1 39	
" O. L. Mansie, for "	10 98	
" J. H. Langdon, for "	5 00	
" M. C. Langdon, for "	2 50	
" Artemus Dowd, for Frank Minsley,	6 13	
		$275 43

TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid C. D. Langdon, Assessor,	$ 28 50	
" H. C. Stedman, Assessor,	23 75	
" M. C. Langdon, Services as Selectman,	30 00	
" Artemas Dowd, " "	20 00	
" Silas W. Hyde, " "	10 00	
" M. V. Thompson, Services as School Committee,	16 00	
" Rufus W. Barnum, " "	16 00	
" Miss Mary M. Stedman, Services as School Committee,	18 00	
		$162 25

RECAPITULATION.

Amount of Orders given by the Selectmen,		$3,098 80
For Contingent Expenses,	$ 451 74	
" Support of Schools,	1,265 61	
" Highways and Bridges,	823 77	
" Support of Poor,	275 43	
" State Aid,	120 00	
" Town Officers,	162 25	
		$3,098 80

ASSETS OF THE TOWN.

Cash on Hand,	708 01	
Two Notes of Town of Monterey,	351 35	
Note of W. C. Langdon,	200 00	
Note of H. P. Fargo,	103 48	
Amount due from individuals from Sandersfield,	394 96	
Amount of School Books on hand,	79 63	
Amount due from individuals for School Books,	11 86	
Due from Town of Sheffield for Support of Paupers,	87 40	
Due for Aid furnished H. Lisco and family,	22 38	
Due for State Aid,	120 00	
Hearse,	300 00	
Road Tools, Cart, Plough, Scraper, etc.,	25 00	
Due from Wm. H. Martin on Note,	15 00	
		$2,419 07

LIABILITIES OF TOWN.

Note to Betsey Hale,	$ 100 00	
Note to Mrs. Newton Brown,	50 00	
Note to Mrs. Julia Freeman,	200 00	
Three Notes to the First Congregational Fund Society,	775 00	
Two Notes to Town of Monterey,	351 35	
Note to Rawson Harmon,	400 00	
Note to Luther Marcy,	306 00	
Outstanding Orders,	140 11	
Balance in favor of the Town,	96 61	
		$2,419 07

M. C. LANGDON.
ARTEMAS DOWD,
S. W. HYDE.
} Selectmen of Monterey.

Monterey, March 3d, 1883.

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ANNUAL REPORT

—OF—

THE SELECTMEN

—OF THE—

TOWN OF MONTEREY,

AND THEIR SETTLEMENT WITH THE TREASURER,

For the Year Ending March 1st,

1884.

GREAT BARRINGTON:
CLARK W. BRYAN & CO., PRINTERS.
1884.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

ELI BILLS—Treasurer.

		DR.
1883.		
March 1st.	To cash on hand at last settlement,	$708 01
March 10th.	Interest received, on Town Notes,	21 08
	Cash received from Town of Sheffield,	87 42
June 30th.	Cash received of William H. Martin for Note and Interest,	15 87
Dec. 3d.	Cash received for Corporation Tax,	54 35
Dec. 3d.	Cash received for National Bank Tax,	132 81
Dec. 3d.	Cash received for State Aid,	120 00
1884.		
Jan. 12th.	Cash received from Dog Fund,	23 65
Feb. 1st.	Income, from School Fund,	211 45
Feb. 29th.	Cash received from School Committee, for Books,	30 73
	Cash received from George H. Wheeler, for Auctioneer's License,	2 00
	Cash received from Albert Tryon, for Auctioneer's License,	2 00
	Cash received from Henry Fitch, toward support of William H. Morse,	50 00
	Cash received from A. Dowd, Col'r, 1883,	3,182 06
	List of Abatements received of Henry P. Fargo, on Note,	96 33
	Cash received of Henry P. Fargo, on Note,	6 00
		$4,743 76

ELI BILLS—Treasurer.

		CR.
1883.		
March 10th.	By paying Interest on Town Note,	$21 08
March 20th.	paying Int. on Mrs. Newton Brewer's Note,	3 00
July 14th.	paying Int. on Rawson Harmon's Note,	24 00
July 17th.	paying Int. on Mrs. Julia Freeman's Note,	12 00
Aug. 20th.	paying Int. on Luther Marcy's Note,	18 36
Nov. 20th.	paying 2 years' Int. on Betsey Hale's Note,	12 00
Dec. 3d	paying State Tax,	225 00
Dec. 31st.	paying Int. on Mrs. Newton Brewer's Note,	3 00
1884.		
Jan. 7th.	paying Interest on Fund Notes,	46 40
Feb. 18th.	paying Miss Betsey Hale on Note,	40 00
Oct. 11th.	paying County Tax,	450 35
	paying Abatements,	107 83
	paying old Town Orders,	140 11
	paying Town Orders for the Current Year,	2,773 17
	Service as Treasurer,	10 00
	Stamps and Stationery	1 00
	Cash in Treasury,	856 46
		$4,743 76

SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

SCHOOLS.

Paid Helen L. Townsend, teaching 1882,	$60 00
M. V. Thomson, cleaning school houses,	11 50
Miss Bernice C. Morse, teaching,	45 00
Miss Jennie E. Langdon, teaching,	47 50
Miss Helen L. Townsend, teaching,	55 00
Miss Mary L. Dowd, teaching,	50 00
Miss Minnie Gregory, teaching,	47 50
Patrick Collins, carrying scholars,	15 75
M. V. Thomson, bill of school books,	46 00
George W. Morse, repairs on school houses,	19 00
Henry P. Fargo, repairs on school houses,	3 29
Miss Libbie M. Miner, teaching,	50 00
Miss Minnie Gregory, teaching,	47 50
Miss Jennie E. Langdon, teaching,	47 50
Miss Bernice C. Morse, teaching,	45 00
Miss Mary L. Dowd, teaching,	55 00
M. V. Thomson, repairs,	12 91
Patrick Collins, carrying scholars,	14 62
Miss Mary M. Stedman, stoves and pipe,	26 90
Charles H. Twing, teaching,	60 00
Miss Libbie M. Miner, teaching,	66 00
Miss Mary L. Dowd, teaching,	66 00
Miss Bertha Fobes, teaching,	84 00
Miss Jessie A. Townsend, teaching,	60 00
Miss Grace P. Dowd, teaching,	60 00
Hyland Dowd, fuel district No. 1,	15 35
George W. Morse, fuel district No. 8,	11 00
Artemas Dowd, fuel district No. 4,	16 60
Silas W. Hyde, fuel district No. 2,	17 81
Silas W. Hyde, fuel district No. 3,	15 00
Patrick Collins, carrying scholars,	22 00
M. V. Thomson, bill of school supplies,	35 79
M. S. Bidwell, bill of school supplies,	3 73
	$1,234 35

CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

Paid E. B. Culver, stools for hearse,	$5 00
Town of Sandisfield,	63 18
George Otis, printing reports,	8 00
O. T. Stedman, work on Southeast cemetery,	3 00
Albert Tryon, sealer of weights and measures,	5 00
M. C. Langdon, express, postage and records,	28 63
Artemas Dowd, driving hearse, and statistics,	16 25
Mrs. O. L. Dowd, damage,	7 50
George Stevens, damage,	3 00
Silas W. Hyde, running Town line,	2 50
M. C. Langdon, running Town line,	2 50
W. H. Barnes, surveyor,	1 50
F. Brown, stone monuments for town line,	4 50
Dr. J. W. Morse, returning births,	1 50
Mrs. E. Goewey, returning births,	25
For cloth and trimmings for hearse,	4 28
Artemas Dowd, collector 1883,	50 00
Jonathan Townsend, treasurer Meeting House Society,	50 00
	$255 59

STATE AID.

Paid Timothy Curtin,	$72 00
Mrs. Sarah J. Gregory,	48 00
	$120 00

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Wm. A. Hall, work, in '82,	$2 00	Fabius Beckwith, work,	$8 23
George H. King, work,	12 00	Henry Woods, work,	3 25
Edward Ray, work	18 00	Silas W. Hyde, work,	42 00
George D. Cutting, work,	31 00	John C. Hyde, work,	28 87
Charles W. Gregory, work,	6 00	Mrs. E. C. Harmon, work,	15 75
George G. Martin, work,	8 31	Patrick O'Hare, work,	6 05
Hyland Dowd, work,	73 25	Artemas Dowd, work,	16 00
William E. Storms, work,	2 37	J. W. Blake, work,	1 50
F. A. Noteware, work,	4 31	Charles Wilson, work,	1 50
James A. Noteware, work,	50	H. P. Fargo, work,	1 50
B. S. Carrington, work,	9 71	Lester Busby, work,	6 75
George G. Martin, work,	1 69	Peter Anthony, work,	2 00
Charles M. Ball, work,	3 41	Florence McCarty, work,	1 33
Henry J. Hall, work,	7 50	Charles W. Wright, work,	1 14
Eugene Huggins, work,	12 52	Jonathan Townsend, work,	1 83
Ferry Brouker, work,	84 50	Lafayette Bassett, work,	1 78
Clarence Johnson, work,	33 19	J. Bresnehan, work	1 20
Daniel Leary, work,	3 56	W. W. Hall, work,	3 00
M. C. Langdon, 2 watering troughs,	4 00	Henry J. Hall, work,	3 00
C. L. Bunce, work,	39 82	Henry J. Hall, poles,	10 00
Reuben Strong, work,	4 50	R. Barbeau, work,	1 13

Cornelius D. Curtin, work,	$26 60	Luther B. Hall, work,	$6 00
George Fuller, work,	5 62	Patrick Collins, work,	2 00
James McManus, work,	5 91	Eli Bills, work,	108 60
John Currain, work,	7 36	George W. Morse, work,	1 00
George L. Keyes, work,	6 00	J. H. Langdon, work,	9 75
Oscar T. Stedman, work,	42 64	M. C. Langdon, work,	6 25
C. D. Langdon, work,	33 00	J. H. Langdon, plank,	2 98
Mrs. Roxanna Barnum, work,	6 00	M. C. Langdon, lumber,	5 37
George W. Shultiss, work,	28 50		
			$823 53

POOR.

Paid Benjamin Brayman, for Martha Pomeroy,	$104 00
Dr. J. W. Morse, for Martha Pomeroy,	6 00
Mrs. Sarah J. Gregory, for Charles Farnham,	78 00
O. L. Mansir, for Charles Farnham,	1 00
M. S. Bidwell, for Charles Farnham,	75
O. L. Mansir, for Henry Lesco and family,	2 65
M. S. Bidwell, for Henry Lesco and family,	2 48
H. W. Langdon, for Henry Lesco and family,	6 15
James Maxwell, for Henry Lesco and family,	2 00
Edward Lloyd, for Henry Lesco and family,	1 00
Dr. J. W. Morse, for H. Lesco,	10 00
Frank Fuller, for digging grave,	4 00
John C. Hyde, for William Turner,	1 00
O. L. Mansir, for William Turner,	10 00
O. L. Mansir, clothing for William Turner,	8 06
Sparks and Avery, for Frank Minsley,	9 00
H. W. Langdon, for James Markham,	10 81
M. S. Bidwell, for James Markham,	2 50
Ralph I. Taylor, for James Markham,	4 50
M. S. Bidwell, for Libbie Markham,	42
M. C. Langdon, for Libbie Markham,	4 50
M. C. Langdon, for O. B. Markham,	3 80
H. W. Langdon, for O. B. Markham,	11 38
Cyrus Crosby, for O. B. Markham,	2 61
Ezekiel Enoe's estate, for O. B. Markham,	2 50
M. C. Langdon, for O. B. Markham,	1 90
O. L. Mansir, for William H. Morse,	6 26
M. S. Bidwell, for William H. Morse,	5 79
M. C. Langdon, for William H. Morse,	4 43
H. W. Langdon, for William H. Morse,	45 45
Frank A. Noteware, for William H. Morse,	6 00
James McManus, for William H. Morse,	3 00
Expense of getting W. H. Morse from Northampton,	12 25
Bill of clothing at Northampton,	2 54
Expense of Kenneth Fraser to Alms House,	18 55
Albert Tryon, for keeping tramps,	2 00
	$397 28

TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid William H. Miner, Assessor, 1882,	$24 75
C. D. Langdon, Assessor,	28 85
William H. Miner, Assessor,	25 00
Henry C. Stedman, Assessor,	25 00
M. C. Langdon, Selectman,	35 00
S. W. Hyde, Selectman,	25 00
George W. Cutting, Selectman,	5 00
James L. Twing, School Committee,	18 60
M. V. Thomson, School Committee,	15 00
Miss Mary M. Stedman, School Committee,	17 25
	$219 45

RECAPITULATION.

Amount of Orders given by the Selectmen,		$3,050 10
for Contingent expenses,	$255 59	
for Support of Schools,	1,234 25	
for Highways and Bridges,	823 53	
for Support of Poor,	397 28	
for State Aid,	120 00	
for Town Officers,	219 45	$3,050 10

ASSETS OF THE TOWN.

Cash on hand,	$856 46	
Two Notes of Town of Monterey,	351 35	
Note of W. C. Langdon,	212 00	
Amount due from individuals from Sandisfield,	486 81	
Amount School Books on hand,	86 81	
Amount due from individuals for School Books,	19 80	
Due from Lee for aid of H. Lesco and family,	75 00	
Due for State Aid,	120 00	
Hearse,	300 00	
Road tools, Cart, Plow, Scraper, &c.,	25 00	$2,533 23

LIABILITIES OF THE TOWN.

Note to Miss Betsey Hale,	60 00	
Note to Mrs. Newton Brewer,	50 00	
Note to Mrs. Julia Freeman,	200 00	
Three Notes to First Cong'l Fund Society,	775 00	
Note to Rawson Harmon's estate,	400 00	
Note to Luther Marcy,	306 00	
Two Notes of Town of Monterey,	351 35	
Outstanding Orders,	276 93	
Balance in favor of the Town,	113 95	$2,533 23

M. C. LANGDON, } Selectmen of
S. W. HYDE. } Monterey.

MONTEREY, MASS., March 1st, 1884.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON.
APR 29 1885

ANNUAL REPORT
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THE SELECTMEN
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TOWN OF MONTEREY,
AND THEIR
SETTLEMENT WITH THE TREASURER,
FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 2d,
1885.

ELI BILLS, TREASURER.

		DR.
1884. March 3.	To Cash on hand at last settlement,	$856 46
	To Cash received, as interest on Town Notes,	21 08
	To Cash received of George H. Wheeler, for Auctioneer's License,	2 00
	To Cash received of Albert Tryon, for Auctioneer's License,	2 00
July 1.	To Cash borrowed of J. H. Langdon,	200 00
Dec. 1.	To Cash received for Corporation Tax,	57 88
	To Cash received for National Bank Tax,	132 74
	To Cash received for State Aid,	120 00
	To Cash received for Wood sold Charles Adsit,	40 20
Dec. 25.	To Cash received from New Marlboro for Stone Monuments,	7 30
1885. Jan. 21.	To Cash on Dog Fund,	32 78
Jan. 24.	To Cash on Income School Fund,	307 35
Feb. 17.	To Cash School Committee, for rent of Hall,	2 00
	To Cash from S. W. Hyde, for Cart,	8 00
	To Cash from Town of Lee, for aid to H. Lesco and family,	79 63
	To Cash received for damage to Stone School House,	25 00
	To Cash for William H. Morse and wife,	15 00
	To Cash of J. H. Langdon, for Wood,	4 00
	To Cash of A. Dowd, Collector, 1884,	3,324 27
		$5,237 69

1884.	ELI BILLS, TREASURER.	CR.
March 12.	By paying Interest on Town Notes,	$21 08
27.	By paying on Betsey Hale's Note,	15 00
May 13.	By paying on Betsey Hale's Note,	20 00
June 12.	By paying Betsey Hale's Note,	26 80
July 15.	By paying Interest on Rawson Harmon's Note,	24 00
July 22.	By paying Interest on Mrs. Julia Freeman's Note,	12 00
Aug. 19.	By paying Interest on Luther Marcy's Note,	18 36
Dec. 1.	By paying State Tax,	300 00
Dec. 18.	By paying County Tax,	415 70
1885		
Jan. 16.	By paying J. C. Hyde, interest on Fund Society Notes,	46 40
Feb. 1.	By paying John H. Langdon, money borrowed,	207 00
	By paying Old Town Orders,	276 93
	By paying Town Orders, for the Current year,	3324 27 3/4
	By paying abatements,	22 77
	Stamps and Stationery,	1 00
	Service of Treasurer,	15 00
	Cash in Treasury,	694 24
		$5,237 69

SCHOOLS.

Paid A. J. Hall, cleaning school houses,	$10 50
G. W. Hall, work on school house,	47 50
Chester Burrows, work on school house,	11 50
M. V. Thomson, repairs on school house,	39 53
Charles W. Gregory, painting school house,	8 90
M. V. Thomson, for school furniture,	30 30
P. C. Harmon, work on school house,	6 50
Bidwell & Langdon's, bill,	11 98
John K. Hadsell, bill of lumber,	41 17
William S. Barnum, stove, pipe, &c.,	17 46
Charles H. Twing, drawing sand,	4 00
J. B. Harrison, bill school books,	109 38
Artemus Dowd, for coal,	8 35
Artemus Dowd, for teachers board,	20 00
School Committee for care of houses and building fires,	11 00
James L. Twing, for repairs,	1 50
Harper & Brothers', bill school books,	17 16
M. V. Thomson, bill repairs,	24 70
James L. Twing, for glass,	25
Libbie Miner, teaching,	52 50
Mary Goewey, teaching,	40 00
Jessie Townsend, teaching,	50 00
Bertha Fobes, teaching,	50 00
Mary Dowd, teaching,	50 00
Helen L. Townsend, teaching,	55 00
Hattie M. Townsend, teaching,	40 00
Miss Jessie A. Townsend, teaching,	50 00
Miss Bertha Fobes, teaching,	50 00

Paid Rosa Nye, teaching,	$30 00
Miss Mary Goewey, teaching,	45 00
Miss Hattie M. Townsend, teaching,	63 00
James L. Twing, teaching	60 00
Miss Abbie Joyner, teaching,	108 00
Miss Rosa Nye, teaching,	60 00
Miss Mary Goewey, teaching,	60 00
Miss Jessie A. Townsend, teaching,	60 00
Miss Helen L. Townsend, teaching,	66 00
A. J. Hall, for fuel,	16 00
H. C. Steadman, for fuel,	3 00
Hyland Dowd, for fuel,	22 00
George W. Morse, for fuel,	16 00
Silas W. Hyde, for fuel,	10 00
Bidwell & Langdon, bill,	8 46
J. H. Langdon, bill lumber and wood,	10 02
M. V. Thomson, bill,	4 51
	$1,501 17

STATE AID.

Paid Timothy Curten,	$72 00
Paid Mrs. Sarah J. Gregory,	48 00
	$120 00

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Paid for labor and material furnished for Highways and Bridges, to the following persons:

George W. Shultis,	$264 25	S. W. Hyde,	21 25
J. H. Langdon, work,	120 25	L. B. Hall, work,	40 75
J. H. Langdon, plank,	16 53	Orlo J. Hadsell, work,	2 50
Forrest May, work,	2 25	George H. Wheeler, work,	5 50
James Maxwell, work,	50 25	O. T. Steadman, work,	17 00
James McMannus, work,	4 50	C. D. Langdon, work,	2 50
Peter Anthony, work,	75	Francis Brochu, work,	5 00
E. Huggins, work in 1883,	4 00	J. W. Blake, work,	2 50
Charles W. Gregory, work,	21 75	W. W. Hall, work,	1 00
F. M. Nash,	5 62	Artemus Dowd, work,	16 20
F. A. Noteware,	4 50	A. M. Dowd, work,	5 00
Henry Woods,	2 48	Amos Smith, work,	3 00
Elmer Kinnie,	1 50	Frank M. Harmon, work,	6 00
Stephen Ellis,	9 00	M. C. Langdon, work,	4 25
George W. Morse,	5 50	M. C. Langdon, plank,	2 00
George L. Keyes,	18 62	F. G. Heath, plank,	7 47
Peter Farley,	1 50	Cornelius Curtin, work,	50
Cornelius Brazee,	3 00	J. Currian, shoveling snow,	75
Anthony Maxwell,	3 00	Forrest May, " "	2 00
William E. Stormes,	3 75	James Maxwell, " "	2 25
A. J. Hall,	4 50	J. McMannus, " "	2 25
Ferry Brouker,	5 00	W. E. Stormes, " "	75
George G. Martin,	2 00	Miles Gangel, " "	2 50
Wallace Cutting,	5 00	Elmer Kinnie, " "	75

Charles H. Twing,	7 50	Stephen Ellis, shoveling snow,	1 87
Horace Purdy,	5 00	Cornelius Brazee, " "	2 25
C. D. Curtin,	1 00		
			$730 79

POOR.

Paid James McMannus, for William H. Morse,	$1 50
Peter Anthony, for William H. Morse,	50
M. S. Bidwell, for William H. Morse,	1 00
Bidwell & Langdon, for William H. Morse,	6 44
M. C. Langdon, for William H. Morse,	4 48
Pliny Earle, treasurer, for William H. Morse,	81 40
Expense of getting Morse from Northampton,	14 20
Bidwell & Langdon, for W. H. Morse,	9 08
O. L. Mansir, for W. H. Morse,	17 72
M. S. Bidwell, for O. B. Markham,	8 36
M. C. Langdon, for O. B. Markham,	7 40
Bidwell & Langdon, for O. B. Markham,	32 39
O. L. Mansir for O. B. Markham,	23 31
F. G. Heath, for O. B. Markham,	2 50
H. P. Fargo, for O. B. Markham,	1 19
Bidwell & Langdon, for William Turner,	4 30
O. L. Mansir, for William Turner,	15 83
William Turner,	30 00
William Turner's expenses to Liverpool,	34 90
Benjamin Brayman, for Martha Pomeroy,	104 00
Sarah J. Gregory, for Charles Farnham,	56 00
Dr. J. W. Morse, for H. Lesco,	4 00
E. B. Culver, coffin for H. Lesco,	10 50
M. C. Langdon, for H. Lesco,	9 95
Bidwell & Langdon, for Laura Forrest,	2 88
Mrs. O. L. Dowd, for Laura Forrest,	4 00
Mrs. M. C. Langdon, for Laura Forrest,	2 00
Mrs. F. G. Heath, for Laura Forrest,	1 00
Sparks & Avery, for Frank Minsley,	10 00
Bidwell & Langdon, for William Maxwell,	4 84
Bidwell & Langdon, for Anthony Maxwell,	1 73
M. C. Langdon, for Anthony Maxwell,	50
H. P. Fargo, keeping tramp,	50
James M. Kinnie keeping tramps,	1 00
	$509 40

CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

Paid O. W. Cross, painting and repairing hearse,	$7 00
M. S. Bidwell for barbed wire,	5 28
Cornelius Brazee, for cutting wood,	13 80
Peter Brazee, for cutting wood,	14 75
Charles Pinney, for cutting wood,	12 81
James Maxwell, putting up wire fence,	50
M. C. Langdon, running town line,	5 00
S. W. Hyde, running town line,	5 00
Joseph Curtiss, surveyor,	2 50

Paid Miles Gangel, for cutting wood,	$1 80
S. W. Hyde, setting stone monuments,	2 00
Sun Printing Co., printing school reports for 1883,	6 15
N. F. Goewey, sharpening drills and work on scraper,	3 15
O. W. Cross, repairs on scraper,	1 50
F. E. Barnes, stone monuments,	12 00
Albert Tryon, sharpening drills,	56
Albert Tryon, ironing watering trough,	1 00
Albert Tryon, storing weights and measures,	5 00
Artemas Dowd, driving hearse and statistics,	14 00
Clark W. Bryan & Co., printing reports,	18 00
A. Dowd, collector, 1884,	30 00
M. C. Langdon, two watering troughs,	5 00
Bidwell & Langdon, shovel and powder,	65
M. C. Langdon, express postage and record,	24 43
M. C. Langdon, for book to register voters,	1 30
O. T. Stedman, work on cemetery,	5 00
S. J. S. Rogers, work on cemetery,	5 00
James McMannus, work on cemetery,	5 00
Clifford Brochu, work on cemetery,	5 00
William E. Stormes, work on cemetery,	5 00
H. C. Joyner's bill,	12 50
Justin Dewey, counsel,	1 00
Witnesses in case with Lee,	8 60
	$240 28

TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid M. C. Langdon, selectman,	$35 00
S. W. Hyde, selectman,	20 00
F. G. Heath, selectman,	15 00
C. D. Langdon, assessor,	22 00
M. S. Bidwell, assessor,	16 50
H. P. Fargo, assessor,	18 00
M. V. Thomson, school committee,	23 00
James L. Twing, school committee,	13 75
Miss Mary M. Stedman, school committee,	19 00
	$182 25

RECAPITULATION.

Amount of orders given by the Selectmen,		$3,283 89
For Support of Schools,	$1,501 17—	
For Contingent Expenses,	240 28	
For Highways and Bridges,	730 79	
For Support of Poor,	509 40	
For State Aid,	120 00	
For Town Officers,	182 25—	$3,283 89

ASSETS OF THE TOWN.

Cash on hand,	$694 24
Two Notes of Town of Monterey,	351 35
Note of W. C. Langdon,	212 00
Amount due from individuals of Sandisfield,	486 81

Amount School Books on hand,	$153 95
Due for State Aid,	120 00
Hearse,	275 00
Road Tools,	25 00
	$2318 35

LIABILITIES OF THE TOWN.

Note to Mrs. Julia Freeman,	$200 00
Note to Mrs. Newton Brewer,	50 00
Notes to First Congregational Fund Society,	775 00
Note to Rawson Harmon's estate,	400 00
Note to Luther Marcy,	306 00
Two Notes of Town of Monterey,	351 35
Outstanding Orders,	162 48
Balance in favor of the Town,	73 52
	$2.318 35

M. C. LANGDON, S. W. HYDE, F. G. HEATH, Selectmen of Monterey.

Monterey, Mass., February 28th, 1885.

Report of the School Committee.

To the Citizens of Monterey:—In compliance with the usage and requirements of law we respectfully present our report for the school year, ending March 2d, 1885.

The funds placed at the disposal of the committee, for school purposes, were as follows:

Town Tax,	$800 00	Dog Tax,	32 78
Town Fund,	87 20	Balance from last year,	194 66
State Fund,	307 35		
			$1,421 99

We have expended for:—

Teaching,	$1,008 50	Incidental,	5 09
Fuel,	76 60	Postage,	75
Building fires,	11 00	Express,	2 25
Cleaning school houses,	12 25		
			$1,117 44

REPAIRS.

One year ago it seemed necessary to have a school at the old Harmon school house. We asked for an appropriation of $100 to pay for needed repairs, which was granted. The house proved poorer

than we thought, and it cost $250 to repair and furnish, making it the neatest school house in town.

Appropriation for repairs,	$100 00
Damage to school house, collected of Comstock, Mulhall, and Gorham,	25 00
Received for use of Hall,	2 00
Total,	$127 00
Repairing Harmon School House,	250 00
Other repairs,	11 12
Total,	$261 12
Overdrawn,	$134 12

FREE TEXT BOOKS.

The Free Text Book law came into force August 1st. Your committee are not well pleased with the working of this system, but trust with experience to overcome some of the objectionable features. It will increase the care of superintending, and will need an annual appropriation for new books. Value of books on hand, $153.95.

TRUANCY.

We quote from the Public Statutes of our State, Chapter 47, section 1, "Every person having under his control a child between the ages of eight and fourteen years, shall annually cause such child, for at least twenty weeks, to attend some public school." For every neglect the person forfeits, to the use of the schools, twenty dollars. The school committee must annually appoint truant officers to secure the attendance of such children.

The truant officers appointed by your committee have had occasion to labor with three families in relation to non-attendance of their children. No prosecutions have been made.

CONDITION OF THE SCHOOLS.

Schools have been kept as follows: No's. 1, 2, 3, 4, and 8 for the period of thirty-two weeks, No. 9, for twenty-four weeks. As the scholars in this school were most of them young it was not thought best to have a winter term. We have had the usual graded school in the village, for twelve weeks. This term will compare favorably with the preceding terms of this school. The order has been especially commendable.

These schools have been successful, good work having been done by all. Doubtless there is room for criticism and improvement. Perhaps some have lacked in Heaven's first law, as given by Pope. As a class the teachers have shown ability, tact and skill, and all have worked conscientiously for the best results. We were pleased to see, in some of the schools, an improvement in the teaching of reading. As one educator has said, "In teaching reading, the end should be to train the child to gather the thoughts from the printed page. Words must stand for ideas in the child's mind, and the

teacher must see to it constantly, that the child *gets* the the thought in the sentence or paragraph, and expresses it properly. The eye, the tongue, the mind, should all be trained to act together." This thorough training will be a help to the scholar as they grasp the problems of life where so much of the reading is silent reading. We would again urge the parents to assure themselves of the condition of the schools by visiting them. This is a duty we owe to our children. Once a term if possible—once a year certainly—spend some time in the school room with your children. If they are doing their duties well they will be glad to see you, if not you may learn something you ought to know. You will become better acquainted with the teacher. The labors of the teacher will be better appreciated and misunderstandings between parents and teachers would be fewer.

We know of no better service we can do our teachers than to advise them to take, and regularly read, some live educational paper. They serve to stimulate thought, furnish valuable information on all educational subjects, abound in valuable hints and suggestions, as to methods of teaching. What should we think of a minister, doctor or lawyer that failed to read up, and keep posted in his profession. Has the teacher a less responsible profession?

During the coming year it will be necessary to build a woodhouse at No. 2, to shingle and newly cover the wood house at No. 3, new desks at No. 4. And we would suggest that at least two school houses be painted, and that we have new desks for the upper room in No. 2.

On the first day of May there were in town 113 children between the ages of five and fifteen years, 66 between eight and fourteen years. Number of all ages attending school, during the year, 122: number under five years of age attending school, 2: number over fifteen years, 21, number between eight and fourteen years, 64.

Names of the teachers employed in the public schools during the year:

Libbie M. Miner,	Rosa T. Nye.
Helen L. Townsend.	Mary K. Goewey,
Bertha M. Fobes,	Hattie M. Townsend,
James L. Twing,	Jessie A. Townsend,
Mary L. Dowd,	Abbie M. Joyner,

M. V. THOMSON,
M. M. STEADMAN,
J. L. TWING,
} School Committee.

MONTEREY, March 2d, 1885.

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ANNUAL REPORT

—OF—

THE SELECTMEN

—OF THE—

TOWN OF MONTEREY,

—AND THEIR—

SETTLEMENT WITH THE TREASURER,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 27th,

1886.

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1886.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

1886	ELI BILLS, TREASURER.	*DR.*
Feb. 24th.	To cash on hand at last settlement,	$780 24
March 7th.	Interest on Town Notes,	21 08
March 7th.	From School Committee, for use of Hall,	6 40
March 7th.	For School Books sold,	2 18
March 7th.	For Stove sold,	1 00
March 18th.	From Tyringham,	20 00
March 24th.	Received from Selectmen,	1,000 00
April 7th.	From A. Dowd, Collector, 1885,	133 00
June 30th.	From A. Dowd, Collector, 1885,	150 00
Dec. 8th.	By Corporation Tax,	52 97
Dec. 8th.	By National Bank Tax,	121 14
Dec. 8th.	By State Aid,	120 00
1887.	From F. A. Noteware, Collector,	3,698 71
Jan. 22d.	Received from Dog Fund,	22 20
Jan. 25th.	From Income School Fund,	307 72
Feb. 7th.	From Artemus Dowd, Collector, 1885,	90 00
Feb. 7th.	From J L. Twing, for windows,	1 50
Feb. 7th.	Desks,	50
Feb. 7th.	School Supplies,	10
Feb. 7th.	Use of Hall,	2 00
Feb. 7th.	For Books sold,	60
Feb. 7th.	From Tyringham,	10 00
	Total,	$6,541 34

1886.	ELI BILLS, TREASURER.	*CR.*
March 7th.	By paying interest on Town Notes,	$21 08
March 20th.	interest to Mrs. Newton Brewer,	3 00
	paid Mrs. George Miner, Note and Interest,	417 20
May 11th.	paid on R. C. Fargo's Note,	50 00
May 17th.	paid on R. C. Fargo's Note,	50 00
June 30th.	paid R. C. Fargo's Note and Interest,	10 60
Aug. 6th.	paid Julia R. Freeman, Note and Interest,	213 00
Aug. 21st.	paid Interest to Luther Marcy,	18 36
Nov. 9th.	paid Mrs. Newton Brewer, Note and Int.,	52 00
Nov. 26th.	paying County Tax,	407 00
Dec. 8th.	paying State Tax,	195 00

POOR.

Paid Town of Lee for F. Minsley and family,	$20 50
Sparks & Avery, for F. Minsley and family,	8 00
David Dresser, for F. Minsley and family,	10 50
Dr. C. E. Heath, for F. Minsley and family,	9 25
A. C. Sparks, for F. Minsley and family,	12 00
M. C. Langdon, for Anthony Maxwell,	5 29
Bidwell & Langdon, for Anthony Maxwell,	14 97
Dr. J. W. Morse, for Anthony Maxwell,	3 00
Bidwell & Langdon, for William Maxwell,	7 61
Dr. J. W. Morse, for William Maxwell,	15 00
M. C. Langdon, for Laura Forrest,	7 60
Bidwell & Langdon, for Laura Forrest,	3 52
Mary Brewer, for Laura Forrest,	2 50
Mrs. Sara Gregory, for Charles Farnum,	48 00
Nancy O. Heath, for Martha Pomeroy,	78 75
Benj. Brayman, for Martha Pomeroy,	70 00
Wm. McCarty, for Ira B. Pixley,	10 00
Expense from Northampton of William H. Morse,	10 84
M. C. Langdon, for William H. Morse,	2 90
Bidwell & Langdon, for William H. Morse,	36 38
F. A. Noteware, for William H. Morse,	4 55
Expenses of William H. Morse at Northampton,	73 72
J. H. Langdon & Co., lumber for Markham's house,	15 56
F. G. Heath, for O. B. Markham and family,	2 65
M. C. Langdon, for O. B. Markham and family,	3 62
Homer Dowd, for O. B. Markham and family,	1 00
Mrs. Charles Pinney, for O. B. Markham and family,	2 00
Joseph Seddon, for O. B. Markham and family,	2 25
Joseph Seddon, work on Markham's house,	2 50
James Kinne, work on Markham's house,	3 50
Bidwell & Langdon, for O. B. Markham and family,	123 31
Dr. J. W. Morse, for O. B. Markham and family,	19 00
George Keyes, for O. B. Markham and family,	1 00
James Kinne, for burying Markham child,	5 00
Total,	$636 27

SCHOOLS.

Paid Town of Otis, schooling scholars,	$21 44
P. C. Harmon, work on school house,	5 00
Miss Jessie A. Townsend, teaching,	50 00
Miss Hattie M. Townsend, teaching,	50 00
Miss Helen L. Townsend, teaching,	55 00
Miss Mary K. Goewey, teaching,	50 00
Miss Mary E. Wheeler, teaching,	55 00
Miss Mary C. Miner, teaching,	50 00
Mrs. Loudon Clark, cleaning school house,	2 75
C. H. Whiting, school books,	6 68

Paid A. H. Andrews, school desks,	$37 50
M. V. Thompson, cleaning school house,	6 50
H. Hume, school books,	7 20
Ferry Brouker, fuel,	16 65
Miss Mary Turner, teaching,	50 00
Miss Mary K. Goewey, teaching,	50 00
Miss Hattie M. Townsend,	50 00
Miss Helen L. Townsend, teaching,	60 00
Mr. J. L. Twing, teaching,	50 00
Miss Mary C. Miner, teaching,	50 00
Charles W. Gregory, painting school house,	18 70
Charles W. Gregory, work on school house,	9 42
M. V. Thomson, school expenses,	35 14
J. B. Harrison, school books,	36 97
Miss A. M. Tirrell, teaching,	26 25
Silas W. Hyde, fuel,	28 37
A. H. Andrews, school desks,	38 50
School Committee, express, &c.,	2 31
J. B. Harrison, school books,	9 71
John B. Seeley, stove,	11 00
Harper & Bros., school books,	9 60
Carroll W. Clark, crayon,	11 00
G. W. Morse, fuel,	12 00
A. H. Noyes, teaching,	78 75
Mary R. Turner, teaching,	60 00
James L. Twing, teaching,	66 00
E. J. Goewey, fires and repairs,	3 80
Mary K. Goewey, teaching,	60 00
Harper & Bros., school books,	31 83
School Committee, building fires,	8 00
Mary Miner, teaching,	60 00
Bidwell & Langdon,	39 43
Hyland Dowd, fuel,	15 00
School Committee, black board, postage, &c.,	1 69
Total,	$1,397 19

STATE AID

Paid Timothy Curtin,	$72 00
Sara Gregory,	48 00
Total,	$120 00

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Paid.		Paid.	
A. Dowd, breaking roads,	$ 3 50	Timothy Burk, work,	$16 50
F. G. Heath, snow bill,	28 50	Geo. H. Wheeler, "	30 00
Fabius Beckwith, "	2 90	J. K. Hadsell, plank,	5 92
F. A. Noteware, "	6 00	John Currian, work,	1 50
J. W. Blake, "	3 75	George M. Goewey, work,	17 25

Wm. H. Minor,	snow bill,	$4 25
Timothy Burk,	"	1 20
Daniel Leary,	"	1 35
Henry Woods,	"	8 05
George Morse,	"	1 50
B. S. Carrington,	"	3 00
Pat. Collins,	work in 1884,	1 25
Stephen Ellis,	"	10 50
W. W. Hall,	work & plank,	2 50
William Maxwell,	work,	16 75
Charles Pinney,	"	3 00
John Strong	"	10 50
Chas. W. Gregory,	"	32 25
S. W. Hyde,	"	3 00
Isaac Benedict,	"	10 05
Artemas Dowd,	"	49 00
William A. Hall,	"	5 00
Peter Farley,	"	24 00
J. A. Pixley,	"	1 50
Ferry Brouker,	"	30 00
Frank Harmon,	"	3 00
A. J. Hall,	"	12 00
Daniel Leary,	"	1 50
Henry J. Hall,	work,	$10 62
Edward Ray,	"	8 00
George H King,	"	4 35
Oscar T. Stedman,	"	7 50
George G. Martin,	"	2 00
Daniel G. Webb,	"	1 50
Joseph Seddon,	"	3 00
L. B. Hall,	"	21 75
George B. Forrest,	"	7 50
J. H. Dowd,	"	61 00
F. A. Noteware,	"	2 00
B. S. Carrington,	cutting brush,	1 50
C. H. Twing,	"	4 00
James Martin,	work,	90 00
George Shultis,	work,	312 00
M. C. Langdon,	cash paid for work,	3 40
F. G. Heath,		1 50
J. H. Langdon & Co.,	work,	26 45
J. H. Langdon & Co.,	plank,	47 55
Total,		$961 59

CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

Paid Jonathan Townsend, treasury meeting house society,	$25 00
D. C. Tryon, keeping tramps,	2 00
Artemas Dowd, driving hearse and statistics,	24 00
setting guide boards,	2 00
Work on Cemetery, O. T. Stedman,	2 00
Albert Tryon, sealer of weights and measures,	5 00
Amos Smith, wire fence,	10 75
Bert E. Tryon, keeping tramp,	1 00
Bidwell & Langdon, nails and shovel,	1 92
M. C. Langdon, watering trough,	2 50
Scraper and express,	6 05
Chain for scraper,	60
Albert Tryon, repairing scraper and chain,	2 10
Mrs. E. Smith, returning birth,	25
M. C. Langdon, town clerk, express, &c.,	24 70
D. P. Williams & Son, fence wire,	6 69
Artemas Dowd, collector, 1884,	8 00
B. S. Carrington, running town line,	3 50
F. G. Heath, running town line,	3 50
Total,	$131 96

TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid M. C. Langdon, selectman,	$35 00
F. G. Heath, selectman,	25 00

Paid B. S. Carrington, selectman,	$12 00
C. D. Langdon, assessor,	24 00
M. S. Bidwell, assessor,	13 50
M. V. Thomson, school committee,	25 50
J. L. Twing, school committee,	8 00
George L. Keyes, school committee,	16 00
Total,	$159 00

RECAPITULATION.

Amount of Orders given by the Selectmen		$3,405 61
For Support of Schools	$1,397 19	
For Contingent Expenses	131 56	
For Highways and Bridges,	961 59	
For State Aid	120 00	
For Town Officers	159 00	
For Support of Poor	636 27	—$3,405 61

ASSETS OF THE TOWN.

Cash on hand,	$780 24
Two notes of Town of Monterey,	351 35
Note of W. C. Langdon,	212 00
Amount due from individuals from Sandisfield	486 81
Due from State Aid,	120.00
Due from Town of Tyringham for aid furnished A. Maxwell,	34 00
Amount of school books on hand,	163 09
Amount due from Artemas Dowd, Collector, 1884,	21 86
Amount due from Artemas Dowd, Collector, 1885,	470 16
O. B. Markham, land,	100 00
Hearse,	275 00
Road tools,	25 00
Total,	$3,039 51

LIABILITIES OF THE TOWN.

Note to Mrs. Julia Freeman,	$200 00
Note to Mrs. Newton Brewer,	50 00
Note to First Congregational Fund Society,	775 00
Note to Mrs. Elizabeth L. Miner,	400 00
Note to Luther Marcy,	306 00
Notes of Town of Monterey,	351 35
Note to Rufus C. Fargo,	105 00
Outstanding Orders,	760 29
Balance in favor of town,	91 87
Total,	$3,039 51

M. C. LANGDON,
F. G. HEATH,
B. S. CARRINGTON,
} Selectmen of Monterey.

MONTEREY, February 27, 1886.

ANNUAL REPORT

—OF—

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

—OF THE—

Town of Monterey,

FOR THE YEAR 1885-6.

In accordance with the requirements of the Statutes of the Commonwealth we herewith respectfully submit our report for the school year just closed.

The appropriations for schools, the past year, were as follows:

Balance from last year,	$304 55	
Town Tax,	800 00	
State Fund,	306 38	
Dog Tax,	39 93	
Town Fund,	87 20	
Total,		$1,538 06

WE HAVE EXPENDED FOR.

Teaching,	$1,053 00	
Truant Officers,	2 00	
Fuel,	85 37	
Building fires,	11 75	
Cleaning school houses,	9 75	
School supplies,	31 00	
Express and postage,	5 33	
Bills from last year,	23 40	
Total,		$1,221 60
Balance,		$316 46
Appropriation for repairs,	$200 00	
Received for use of Hall,	6 40	
For old stove,	1 00	
Total,		$207 40

WE HAVE PAID

P C. Harmon, for fence,	$ 5 00	
Charles Gregory, for painting,	29 12	
Bidwell & Langdon, for paints, etc.,	36 17	
John Brewer & Sons, lumber,	11 38	
George Morse, work on school house,	1 30	
Nathan Adams, work on school house,	2 50	
E. J. Goewey, work on school house,	80	
M. V. Thomson, work on school house,	4 00	
For drawing lumber and desks,	2 50	
A. H. Andrews, for school desks,	76 00	
For sundries,	1 00	
E. B. Culver, for chairs,	4 00	
Total,		$173 77
Balance.		$33 63
Appropriation for school books;	$75 00	
Books sold.	17 23	
Total,		$92 23

WE HAVE PAID

H. Humes, for school books,	$ 7 20	
C. H. Whitney, for school books,	6 68	
J. B. Harrison, for school books,	53 20	
Harper & Brothers, for school books,	45 84	
Mary M. Steadman, for school books,	60	
Total,		$113 52
Overdrawn,		$21 29
Total value of books on hand March 1, 1885,		$153 95
Value of books on hand March 1, 1886: New books,		$64 71
Second-hand books,		86 38
Slates and crayons,		12 00
Total,		$163 09

On account of the new law, requiring Physiology to be taught in all public schools, we were obliged to purchase new books, thereby using more money than appropriated, as above reported.

We have now on hand a good supply of books, and probably will not require more than fifty dollars for books and supplies during the ensuing year.

During the year, we have placed new desks in No. 4. New desks and stove in upper room of No. 2. Painted Nos. 2 and 8. Purchased lumber for wood house at No. 3. In consequence of the stormy weather during the fall vacation this job was not completed. Some of the needed repairs for this year are new floor, plastering, windows and desks at No. 1. A wood house at No. 2.

Within a few days the plan has been suggested to your committee, of moving the Corashire school house to some point between Mr. Brochu's and the Wood or Mansir Corners. We have not consulted a carpenter and not being of that craft ourselves cannot say as to practicability of the plan. If it could be moved so as to accommodate both schools it would save the town $175 a year, and would be better for both schools as there are so few scholars. Last year the average attendance of the summer term at Corashire was 7 at the stone school house 12, this year both schools will be small than last, by uniting it would make one good school.

We were unfortunate in the selecting of a teacher for the graded school. The teacher did not reach here until Saturday night to commence school Monday morning. As she had papers to show that she was a college graduate and we had so little time we omitted the usual examination. In visiting her school we found she was deficient in arithmetic. After giving her three weeks trial, it was the unanimous vote of the committee to dismiss her. The second teacher was fairly successful.

The second week of the winter term at No. 9 the attendance was only two. As we could hardly afford to run a school for two scholars, and most of the scholars to attend being young, and not knowing how long the severe weather would last, we closed the school. Good work has been done in all the schools.

The following scholars have made marked improvement during the year:

James Anthony,	Frank Broker,
Hannah Leary,	Willie Wilson,
Lilly Huggins,	Bell Olmstead,
Timmie Curtain,	Frank Cross,
Egbert Tuller,	Arthur Miner,
Edward Hall,	Charlie Hyde.

The attendance has been better than for several years. To say that parents fail to show the interest in the welfare of their children that they should, by visiting the schools would be repeating what we have said many times. So we will simply invite you to spend this year at least one half day in the school room.

We would say to the teachers, you are too much confined to the text book. In examining the schools at the close of the year many of the scholars failed on practical questions, the reason given in some instances, "that question ain't in the book." Good teaching does not consist in hearing pupils recite what they have learned from the text book. That is but the beginning. The printed pages are but signs. If possible bring the object before the pupil. We should train the faculties of observation, expression, originality and memory. Do not try to teach any thing until you are familiar with the subject. Having been over it in your school days is not enough "look up." And we would further say to you if you lack a matured aptness for teaching, or an interest in, or love for children, or patience

and perseverance to carry through what you undertake, we should say you have mistaken your calling.

Number of scholars in town May 1, between five and fifteen, one hundred and eighteen, between eight and fourteen, sixty-eight.

MONTEREY, March 1, 1886.

M. V. THOMSON,
J. L. TWING,
GEORGE L. KEYES, } School Committee.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON.
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ANNUAL REPORT

—OF—

THE SELECTMEN

—OF THE—

Town of Monterey,

—AND THEIR—

SETTLEMENT WITH THE TREASURER, FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 5TH,

1887.

GREAT BARRINGTON, MASS.
CLARK W. BRYAN & CO., PRINTERS—COURIER OFFICE.
1887.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

SCHOOLS.

Paid Helen L. Townsend, teaching 1882,	$60 00
M. V. Thomson, cleaning school houses,	11 50
Miss Bernice C. Morse, teaching,	45 00
Miss Jennie E. Langdon, teaching,	47 50
Miss Helen L. Townsend, teaching,	55 00
Miss Mary L. Dowd, teaching,	50 00
Miss Minnie Gregory, teaching,	47 50
Patrick Collins, carrying scholars,	15 75
M. V. Thomson, bill of school books,	46 00
George W. Morse, repairs on school houses,	19 00
Henry P. Fargo, repairs on school houses,	3 29
Miss Libbie M. Miner, teaching,	50 00
Miss Minnie Gregory, teaching,	47 50
Miss Jennie E. Langdon, teaching,	47 50
Miss Bernice C. Morse, teaching,	45 00
Miss Mary L. Dowd, teaching,	55 00
M. V. Thomson, repairs,	12 91
Patrick Collins, carrying scholars,	14 62
Miss Mary M. Stedman, stoves and pipe,	26 90
Charles H. Twing, teaching,	60 00
Miss Libbie M. Miner, teaching,	66 00
Miss Mary L. Dowd, teaching,	66 00
Miss Bertha Fobes, teaching,	84 00
Miss Jessie A. Townsend, teaching,	60 00
Miss Grace P. Dowd, teaching,	60 00
Hyland Dowd, fuel district No. 1,	15 35
George W. Morse, fuel district No. 8,	11 00
Artemas Dowd, fuel district No. 4,	16 60
Silas W. Hyde, fuel district No. 2,	17 81
Silas W. Hyde, fuel district No. 3,	15 00
Patrick Collins, carrying scholars,	22 00
M. V. Thomson, bill of school supplies,	35 79
M. S. Bidwell, bill of school supplies,	3 73
	$1,234 35

1887.

Jan.	18th.	paying John C. Hyde, Treasurer on Fund Society Note,	45 40
		paying old Town Orders,	760 29
		paying Abatements,	35 81
		paying Orders of current year,	2,984 57
		Stamps, etc.,	1 00
		Treasurer's service,	15 00
		Cash in Treasury,	1,261 83
		Total,	$6,541 34

CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

Paid	Jonathan Townsend, Treasurer,	$25 00
	Clark W. Bryan & Co., printing reports,	15 00
	Charles H. Twing, damage,	1 25
	E. J. Goewey, repairing scraper,	1 00
	James Martin, work on cemetery,	1 50
	Hyland Dowd, fence wire,	3 50
	Oscar T. Steadman, work on cemetery,	2 00
	John K. Hadsell, lumber for cemetery fence.	7 66
	Dewey & Wright, bill for services,	7 00
	Bert E. Tryon, sealer of weights and measures,	5 00
	Frank H. Wright, insuring school house,	27 00
	H. C. Joyner, insuring school house,	7 00
	Artemus Dowd, hearse and statistics,	26 00
	F. A. Noteware, Collector of Taxes, 1886,	50 00
	George W. Morse, express and postage,	1 25
	Bidwell & Langdon, nails, etc.,	1 55
	Ferry Brouker, fence posts,	8 60
	Ferry Brouker, labor on cemetery fence,	8 65
	Total,	$198 96

POOR.

Paid	Sarah J. Gregory, for Charles Farnum,	$2 00
	E. A. Moore, for Minsley family,	3 00
	David Dresser, for Minsley family,	3 25
	A. C. Sparks, for Minsley family,	5 50
	Town of Lee, for Minsley family,	36 50
	James W. Ferry for Minsley family,	58 18
	Frank Grover, for Minsley family,	24 00
	L. B. Hall, for Minsley family,	2 50
	James McManus, for Morse and family,	25 00
	Bidwell & Langdon, for Morse and family,	46 57
	B. S. Carrington, for Morse and family,	6 05
	Bidwell & Langdon, for Markham and family,	129 02
	F. G. Heath, for Markham and family,	4 50
	F. G. Heath, for Markham and family,	6 00
	M. C. Langdon, for Markham and family,	4 86
	Joseph Sedden, for Markham and family,	1 50

Paid	John H. Langdon, for Markham and family,	$2 00
	H. P. Fargo, for Pinney children,	5 00
	Mrs. R. L. Mansir, for Pinney children,	53 00
	Mrs. M. C. Langdon, for Pinney children,	11 00
	Mrs. Charles Pinney, for Pinney children,	19 50
	M. C. Langdon, for Pinney children,	3 35
	Bidwell & Langdon, for Pinney children,	2 37
	M. C. Langdon, for Pinney children,	2 50
	F. G. Heath, for Pinney children,	9 75
	Mrs. Nancy O. Heath, for Martha Pomeroy,	90 00
	Mrs. Nancy O. Heath, for Martha Pomeroy, clothing,	5 56
	Dr. S. J. Edgerton, medical attendance,	23 50
	F. G. Heath, tramp,	50
	Total,	$592 32

SCHOOLS.

Paid	Hattie M. Townsend, teacher,	$10 00
	Helen L. Townsend, teacher,	72 00
	Town of Otis, schooling,	21 55
	S. W. Hyde, fuel,	14 25
	E. Y. Foote, printing,	1 04
	George L. Keyes, fuel,	4 00
	Charles Gregory, cleaning school house,	2 75
	A. J. Hall, cleaning school house,	2 00
	King and Merrill, school supplies,	2 40
	Charles Wilson, cleaning school house,	2 00
	Helen M. Heath, teacher,	50 00
	Mary M. Miner, teacher,	50 00
	Helen L. Townsend, teacher,	53 90
	Hattie M. Townsend, teacher,	45 00
	E. C. Stockin, school books,	11 70
	George L. Keyes, express cartage,	1 70
	J. A. Brewer, lime,	2 00
	L. J. Nettleton, windows,	9 80
	George L. Keyes, freight,	3 20
	Talbot Bros., school books,	13 41
	Adams & Ingram, school supplies,	2 09
	George E. Bunce, work on school house,	3 85
	John Brewer & Sons, lumber,	14 30
	J. A. Brewer, lime, etc.	3 30
	W. E. Storms, cleaning school house,	1 00
	M. C. Johnson, Dictionary,	4 80
	E. J. Goewey, cleaning school house,	50
	James McManus, work on school house,	6 75
	A. H. Andrews & Co., desks,	42 78
	George L. Keyes, work and expenses,	9 00
	Chester Burrows, work,	11 00
	James L. Twing, work and lumber,	7 14
	William Maxwell, sawing wood,	1 75

Paid Peter Anthony, work on school house,	$2 00
Helen L. Townsend, teacher,	55 00
Bernice Morse, teacher,	55 00
W. E. Storms, cleaning school house,	2 00
Mary K. Goewey, teacher,	40 00
W. E. Bump, work on school house,	12 50
Nathan Adams, work,	1 00
Talbot Bros., school books,	33 18
John K. Hadsell, lumber,	6 80
George L. Keyes, wood and work,	11 50
Hattie M. Townsend, teacher,	80 00
E. J. Goewey, wire and work,	8 58
S. W. Hyde, fuel,	8 00
George L. Keyes, fuel,	9 00
Talbot Bros., books,	15 73
John B. Seeley, stove and fixtures,	30 88
Mrs. O. F. Fellows, maps,	6 00
George L. Keyes, wood,	3 00
J. L. Twing, freight, etc.,	2 00
Bernice C. Morse, teacher,	60 00
Mary K. Goewey, teacher,	60 00
Eloise T. Barnum, teacher,	72 00
J. L. Twing, supplies,	1 25
Constance E. Allen, teacher,	105 00
Willie Crippen, building fires,	3 00
Charles H. Twing, teacher,	88 00
Helen L. Townsend, teacher,	66 00
Ferry Brouker, fuel and fire,	15 00
J. H. Langdon & Co., lumber,	9 00
Bidwell & Langdon, school supplies,	12 00
Frank Cross, building fires,	2 00
George L. Keyes, postage and expenses,	2 50
George W. Morse, fuel,	7 50
George W. Morse, fires,	2 00
George L. Keyes, fires,	2 00
Hyland Dowd, fuel,	9 50
Charles Twing, fires,	3 00
Total,	$1,384 47

STATE AID.

Paid Mrs. Sarah Gregory,	$52 00
Paid Timothy Curtin,	72 00
	$124 00

HIGHWAYS.

Paid James McManus, working, 1885,	$9 00
William Maxwell, working,	2 00
Charles Pinney, cutting brush,	1 25
J. H. Langdon & Co., plank and work on bridges,	23 79
George G. Martin, work,	2 00

Paid Henry J. Hall, building bridge,	$24 00
Horace Purdy, repairing bridge,	5 00
John K. Hadsell, plank,	1 66
Bidwell & Langdon, steel bar,	1 25
Eli Bills, working on highway,	717 87
Total,	$787 82

TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid M. C. Langdon, Selectman,	$35 00
F. G. Heath, Selectman,	25 00
Ferry Brouker, Selectman,	15 00
J. L. Twing, School Committee,	20 00
George L. Keyes, School Committee,	23 00
Dr. S. J. Edgerton, School Committee,	9 50
George W. Morse, Assessor,	35 00
Henry C. Stedman, Assessor,	25 00
W. H. Minor, Assessor,	26 00
W. H. Minor, Assessor, 1885,	10 00
M. C. Langdon, Town Clerk, express, etc.,	28 47
Total,	$251 97

RECAPITULATION.

Amount of orders given by Selectmen,		$3,339 54
For Support of Schools,	$1,384 47	
For Contingent Expenses,	198 96	
For Highways and Bridges,	787 82	
For State Aid,	124 00	
For Town Officers,	251 97	
For Support of Poor,	592 32	$3,339 54

ASSETS OF TOWN.

Cash on hand,	$1,261 83
Two notes of Town of Monterey,	351 35
Note of W. C. Langdon,	212 00
Amount due from individuals from Sandisfield,	486 81
Amount due from State Aid,	124 00
Amount of school books on hand,	185 00
Amount due from A. Dowd, Collector, 1884 and 1885,	119 02
O. B. Markham, land,	100 00
Hearse,	275 00
Road tools,	25 00
Total,	$3,140 01

LIABILITIES.

Note to Luther Marcy,	$306 00
Note to Frank Conley,	1,000 00
Note to Town of Monterey,	351 33
Note to Congregational Fund Society,	775 00
Outstanding Orders,	354 97
Balance in favor of Town,	352 69
	$3,140 01

M. C. LANGDON,
F. G. HEATH,
FERRY BROUKER,
} Selectmen of Monterey.

ANNUAL REPORT

—OF THE—

School Committee

—OF THE—

TOWN OF MONTEREY,

FOR THE YEAR 1886-7.

In accordance with the requirements of the laws of the Commonwealth we submit the following report.

The appropriations for schools, the past year, have been as follows :

Balance from last year,	$316 46	
Town Tax,	800 00	
State Fund,	307 72	
Dog Tax,	22 20	
Town Fund,	87 20	
Total,		$1,533 58

WE HAVE EXPENDED FOR

Teaching,	$879 90	
Fuel,	68 08	
Building fires,	13 00	
Cleaning school houses,	10 25	
School supplies,	19 24	
Bills from last year,	22 59	
Express and postage,	8 75	
Total,		$1,021 81
Balance,		$511 77
Appropriations for school books,	$50 00	
Books sold,	70	
		$50 70

WE HAVE PAID

A. C. Stockin, for books,	$11 70	
Talbot Brothers, for books,	62 32	
		$74 02
Overdrawn,		$23 32
Appropriation for repairs,	$150 00	
Balance from last year,	33 63	
Received for old windows,	3 00	
Received for use of Hall,	3 00	
Received for old desks,	50	
		$190 13

WE HAVE PAID

J. Brewer's Sons, for lumber,	14 30	
J. K. Hadsell, for lumber,	6 80	
J. L. Twing, for lumber,	64	
J. H. Langdon, & Co., for lumber,	7 39	
J. A. Brewer, for lime,	5 30	
L. J. Nettleton, for windows,	9 80	
A. H. Andrews, for school desks,	46 50	
E. J. Goewey, for iron,	6 33	
John B. Seeley, for stoves and pipe,	30 88	
Bidwell & Langdon, bill,	3 87	
Peter Anthony, work,	2 00	
William E. Bump, work,	12 50	
Chester Burrows, work,	11 00	
J. L. Twing, work,	7 75	
James McManus, work,	6 75	
Nathan Adams, work,	1 00	
George Bunce, work,	3 85	
G. L. Keyes, work,	9 28	
E. J. Goewey, work,	2 25	
J. H. Langdon & Co., old bill,	1 61	
Total,		$189 80
Balance,		33

Value of school books on hand March 1st, 1886,	$163 09.	
Value of books on hand March 1st, 1887, New,		$43 00
Second hand books,		127 00
Slates and crayons,		15 00
Total,		$185 00

During the year we have put in new floor, plastering, windows and desks at No. 1, covered the wood-house at No. 3, put in strengthening rods and two new stoves at No. 2.

The repairs which are needed for the coming year are a wood-house at No. 2, and new plastering at No. 3. We would advise an appropriation of one hundred and fifty dollars for repairs.

The free text book law has not been in force long enough so that we can tell just how much money is needed and, consequently, the amount has been underestimated both years that the town has furnished the books. To guard against this the coming year we would advise an appropriation of one hundred dollars for books.

During the year we have made a change of readers and spellers which will call for about twenty-five dollars, to balance the exchange.

Schools have been kept as follows: In Numbers 2 and 4, thirty-two weeks; Number 1, thirty weeks; Number 9, twenty-six weeks; Number 3, sixteen weeks; Number 8, twelve weeks. Also the usual graded school in the village for twelve weeks.

We have not expended quite as much money for schools as in some years, and perhaps not so much as will be required this year, as it will probably be necessary to keep more schools than were kept for the entire year just closed, and there may be a few scholars who will have to be carried.

Although schools have not been kept in all the districts, they have been within the reach of all the scholars, but there are some tax payers who seemed to prefer to let their money go to help educate other peoples children rather than their own, so did not send them during a part of the year.

We would advise the same appropriation for schools as last year, namely, eight hundred dollars. Our teachers in general have done good and faithful work, being in sympathy with their scholars and taking a hearty interest in their studies. But some of them have failed sadly in discipline, the order in some of the schools being far from what it should be.

One lack in our schools is the want of uniformity in the various schools. It has been suggested to your committee, by some of the teachers, that it would tend to secure better work on the part of both teachers and pupils if there could be a course of study marked out for the different grades in all the schools. This would tend to a wholesome competition on the part of teachers and scholars to see which school could best do the work assigned.

The writing in our schools should receive more attention than most teachers give it. The truth is, there are but very few pupils in our schools who write a good, easily read hand, to say nothing of an even and pleasing one. Perhaps one reason for this is that they use short pencils in their slate work, which causes them to form the habit of cramping the fingers and clinching tightly whatever they use to write with. The slate work of most of our scholars occupies two or two and a half hours daily and the habits thus formed cannot be overcome by one-fourth or one-half hour lessons with the pen.

The reading is rather better than the writing, but there are some scholars who blunder over the short words, regardless of sound or sense, after the style of one boy who was once asked if he understood what he was reading, and he replied that he did not know as there was any use of knowing what he read.

Arithmetic should be made as practical as possible, and the pupil should be taught to reason out a problem logically and correctly.

There should also be daily drill on the fundamental rules, to increase speed and accuracy of work.

We would urge upon the teachers to take some good educational paper and try to improve their teaching as much as possible. If the teachers would take different periodicals, and exchange with each other, they could all have the reading of several papers at small cost.

Number of children in town May 1st, 1886, between the ages of five and fifteen years, was 101.

J. L. TWING,
G. L. KEYES,
DR. S. J. EDGERTON,
} School Committee.

Monterey, March 7th, 1887.

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON.
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REPORT.

ELI BILLS, TREASURER, *DR.*

1887			
March	7	To Cash on hand at last settlement,	$1,261 83
	9	Interest on Town Notes,	21 08
	14	From A. Dowd, collector 1884 and 1885,	50 00
	28	George H. Wheeler, license, 1886,	2 00
	28	George H. Wheeler, license, 1887,	2 00
	29	W. S Bidwell, license, 1887,	2 00
	29	H. P. Fargo, license, 1887,	2 00
July	5	Borrowed at Bank,	300 00
Sept.	1	Cash from J. H. Langdon on Sandisfield claim,	40 00
Nov.	2	Cash from Town of Sheffield,	21 05
Dec.	6	To Corporation Tax,	60 74
	6	To National Bank Tax,	107 41
	6	To State Aid,	120 00
1888			
Jan.	24	Received from Dog Fund,	18 53
	25	Received from School Fund,	306 84
	25	Cash received from M. S. Bidwell, collector 1887,	3,000 00
Feb.	9	Cash received in settlement of Elizabeth Markham suit,	30 00
	11	Aid received for W. H. Morse, 1886,	25 00
	11	Aid received for W. H. Morse, 1887,	34 55
	11	To Grass sold in Cemetery,	1 50
			$5,406 53

ELI BILLS, TREASURER, *CR.*

1887			
March	7	By paying Wilmer E. Brewer for deed of land in Cemetery,	$25 00
	24	Interest to Frank Conley,	40 00
	26	Recording Deed of Burial Ground,	1 50
	26	Recording Deed of School Lot,	50
June	10	Paying George H. Wheeler, for repairing roads,	646 26
July	5	Paying Luther Marcy, note and interest,	320 27
	25	Paying Discount at Bank,	3 65
		Paying Clark W. Bryan & Co., printing,	14 00
		Paying County Tax,	407 00

Sept.	5	Paying Bank Note,	$300 00
Dec.	6	Paying State Tax,	292 50
1888			
Jan.	11	Paying John C. Hyde, Treasurer, interest on Fund Society Note,	46 40
		By paying interest on Town Notes,	21 08
		By paying Outstanding Orders,	354 97
		By paying Abatements,	17 62
		By paying Orders for Current Year,	1,850 41
		By paying Stamps and Stationery,	1 00
		By paying Treasurer's services,	15 00
		By paying error last year,	1 00
		By Cash in Treasury,	1,048 87
			$5,406 53

CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

Paid Jonathan Townsend, treasurer,	$25 00
George Otis, printing town orders,	3 24
Ralph I. Langdon, damage to horse,	20 00
J. A. Brewer, fence wire for cemetery,	4 98
Bidwell & Langdon, team,	2 50
M. S. Bidwell, collecting taxes,	80 00
J. H. Langdon & Co., lumber for cemetery fence,	33 05
Artemus Dowd, hearse and statistics,	26 00
O. W. Cross, sealer of weights and measures,	5 00
O. W. Cross, guide-boards,	2 00
M. C. Langdon, expense in notifying Cattle Commissioner,	1 75
Counsel and expense in Dr. Small matter,	4 00
J. A. Brewer, fence wire for cemetery,	6 72
Counsel,	5 00
Expenses in looking up settlement of Harris family,	25 00
Ferry Bronker, building cemetery fence,	15 70
George W. Morse, express, etc.,	1 10
H. C. Joyner, services Stockbridge case,	4 00
George L. Keyes, postage and express,	3 90
	$268 94

POOR.

Paid Nancy O. Heath, for Martha Pomeroy, clothing, 1886,	$6 20
Frank Grover, for Albert Minsley,	6 00
James McManus, for W. H. Morse,	24 40
O. W. Cross, for casket O. B. Markham,	5 00
Jennie E. Langdon, clothing for Lilian Markham,	3 15
Dr. Edgerton, medical attendance Samuel Austin,	6 25
Nancy O. Heath, for Martha Pomeroy to April 16th, 1888,	91 00
Nancy O. Heath, for Martha Pomeroy to clothing, 1887,	6 75
Frank Grover, Minsley family,	16 00

Paid Frank Minsley, for clothing,	
Mrs. Homer Dowd, for Harry Harris,	$6 00
Frank Grover, for Minsley family,	2 00
E. B. Culver, casket for Samuel Austin,	12 00
Mrs. J. E. Goewey, for care of Mrs. Charles Brazee,	10 50
Frank Grover, for Minsley family,	1 00
Elmer Kinney, digging grave, O. B. Markham,	12 00
Frank Grover, for Minsley family,	3 00
Dr. Shepardson, for Minsley family,	24 00
James McManus, digging grave, Samuel Austin,	3 00
Elmer Kinney, burying O. B. Markham,	4 00
Frank Grover, for Minsley family,	4 00
Frank Grover, for Minsley family,	9 00
John Minsley, for Minsley family,	8 00
Seager & Parker, casket for Frank Minsley,	4 00
I. F. Loom, for W. H. Morse,	12 00
Dr. B. D. Pease, for George Pinney,	5 77
Dr. B. D. Pease, for Calvin Markham,	35 00
Dr. B. D. Pease, examining school,	3 00
	5 00
IN DIPHTHERIA CASE.	
Dr. Shepardson, for Frank Minsley,	9 00
Frank Grover, Minsley family,	14 00
Dr. Camp, amputating George Pinney's arm,	30 00
Dr. Pease, for W. H. Morse,	3 00
Smith Araial, for Harry Harris,	75
Bidwell & Langdon, for Markham family,	17 78
" " for W. H. Morse,	36 67
" " for Harry Harris,	85
" " for Laura Forrest,	1 06
" " for Brazee,	1 09
" " for George Austin,	3 58
" " for W. H. Morse,	7 96
" " for Mira Harris,	2 93
J. H. Langdon & Co., for W. H. Morse,	3 00
J. H. Langdon & Co., for George Austin,	4 00
George W. Shultis, for Markham family,	3 00
Mrs. R. L. Mansir, board of children,	7 00
Ellen Olmsted, for board and clothing of children to March 7th, 1888,	141 83
M. C. Langdon, for Harris children,	3 50
Frank Grover for Minsley family,	16 00
Dr. Pease, medical attendance, Horace and Harry Harris,	4 00
Dr. Pease, medical attendance, George Austin,	1 00
Frank Grover, for Albert Minsley,	8 00
I. F. Loom, for W. H. Morse,	4 24
I. F. Loom, for George Austin,	64
Uriah Brett, for George Pinney,	10 00
Uriah Brett, for two tramps,	1 00
Town of Stockbridge, for Albert Minsley,	2 50

Paid T. Martin, for George Swan,		$38 00
F. G. Heath, for team to Chester for Frank Minsley, and burying same,		5 00
Mrs. W. E. Hall, for Alice Pinney, board and clothing,		20 79
Mrs. Bert E. Tryon, for Laura Forrest,		1 00
Dr. Camp, for Pinney,		1 00
Mrs. Charles Merrills, shoes for Markham girl,		1 30
H. C. Joyner, counsel in Lee paupers,		1 00
		$734 49

SCHOOLS.

Paid J. K. Hadsell, for wood,	$7 50
Town of Otis, for schooling,	12 50
H. P. Fargo, cleaning vault,	2 00
Charles W. Gregory, cleaning school houses,	5 00
Hattie M. Townsend, teacher,	60 00
Jessie A. Townsend, teacher,	35 00
James L. Twing, carrying children,	16 40
Berenice E. Morse, teacher,	55 00
Clara L. Bidwell, teacher,	40 00
F. M. Ambrose, school books,	25 65
Talbot Brothers, school supplies,	10 99
Francis Mercier, work,	50
George L. Keyes, work,	2 40
Mary Miner, teacher,	27 50
George W. Shultis, labor,	3 00
Nathan Adams, labor,	1 50
Hattie M. Townsend, teacher,	72 00
Lucy Gregory, teacher,	48 00
Berenice E. Morse, teacher,	60 00
J. H. Langdon & Co., for door,	1 50
W. H. Martin, for work,	12 00
Francis Mercier, for work,	1 25
George L. Keyes, for work and cash,	13 25
J. K. Hadsell, for wood and lumber,	38 08
O. H. Munson, for wood and work,	13 00
Talbot Brothers, for books and supplies,	27 43
George L. Keyes, for work and cash,	2 00
Bidwell & Langdon, merchandise for schools,	9 01
Talbot Brothers, books,	9 89
Ferry Brouker, work,	1 65
W. H. Martin, work,	2 50
Anna J. Lindholm, teacher,	66 00
C. B. Rowe, teacher,	96 00
Hattie N. Townsend, teacher,	72 00
Berenice E. Morse, teacher,	66 00
Lucy Gregory, teacher,	60 00
James L. Twing, board of teacher,	30 45
	$1,026 95

STATE AID.

Paid Sarah J. Gregory,	$48 00
Timothy Curtin,	72 00
	$120 00

HIGHWAYS.

Paid.		Paid.	
George E. Martin, work,	$2 00	Timothy Burke, snow bill,	$2 00
Eli Bills, work,	3 00	Stephen Ellis, snow bill,	1 00
W. S. Tyrrel, work	1 50	Loudon Clarke, snow bill,	1 00
James McManus, snow bill,	3 00	Frank Hadsell, snow bill,	1 00
James Kinney, snow bill,	1 00	Seldon Downs, snow bill,	1 00
H. C. Stedman, work,	14 75	W. F. Judd, snow bill,	2 00
Ferry Brouker, work,	25 75	Jasper Bills, snow bill,	1 00
M. V. Thomson, work,	2 00	Lorenzo Webb, snow bill,	75
Bidwell & Langdon, nails, etc.	1 21	O. W. Cross, snow bill,	75
J. H. Langdon & Co., snow bill,	15 00	J. K. Hadsell, snow bill,	5 00
Francis Mercier, snow bill,	3 00	M. S. Bidwell, snow bill,	13 50
James Martin, snow bill,	3 00	Peter Anthony, snow bill,	1 00
W. S Bidwell, snow bill,	1 00	George W. Morse, snow bill,	2 50
George Goewey, snow bill,	3 00	F. G. Heath, work, plank, etc.,	4 60
E. J. Goewey, snow bill,	3 00	James McManus, snow bill,	3 00
William Maxwell, snow bill,	3 00	Henry J. Hall, snow bill,	5 00
John Daley, snow bill,	3 00	Clarence Johnson, snow bill,	3 75
James Noteware, snow bill,	3 00		
			$140 06

TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid.		Paid.	
M. C. Langdon, selectman,	$35 00	George W. Morse, assessor,	$30 00
F. G. Heath, selectman,	25 00	Henry C. Stedman, assessor,	25 00
Ferry Brouker, selectman,	20 00	W. H. Minor, assessor,	22 50
Geo. L. Keyes, school committee,	24 00	M. C. Langdon, town clerk, express, etc.,	24 07
James L. Twing, "	13 00		
M. V. Thomson, "	12 00		
			$230 57

RECAPITULATION.

Amount of orders given by Selectmen,		$2,521 01
For Support of Schools,	$1,026 95	
For Contingent Expenses,	268 94	
For Highways and Bridges,	140 06	
For State Aid,	120 00	
For Town Officers,	230 57	
For Support of Poor,	734 49	$2,521 01

ASSETS OF TOWN.

Cash on hand,	$1,048 87
Two Notes of Town of Monterey,	351 35
Amount due from State Aid,	120 00
Amount School Books on hand,	150 00
Amount due from A. Dowd, collector, 1884 and 1885,	69 02
O. B. Markham, land,	100 00
Hearse,	275 00
Road Tools,	25 00
Amount due from M. S. Bidwell, collector, 1887,	98 37
Received from Stockbridge for Aid for Harris family,	39 36
Amount due from H. P Fargo for Grass sold on Markham lot,	2 00
Balance against the Town,	517 99
	$2,796 95

LIABILITIES.

Note to Frank Conley,	$1,000 00
Note to Town of Monterey,	351 35
Note to Congregational Fund Society,	775 00
Outstanding Orders,	670 60
	$2,796 95

M. C. LANGDON,
F. G. HEATH,
FERRY BROUKER,
} Selectmen of Monterey.

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1889.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

ELI BILLS, TREASURER. *DR.*

1888.		
Feb. 22.	For cash on hand at last settlement,	$1,048 87
Feb. 28.	Rec'd from Town of Stockbridge,	39 35
Feb. 28.	School Committee,	1 85
March 26.	H. P. Fargo, Auctioneer's License,	2 00
March 30.	W. S. Bidwell, Auctioneer's License,	2 00
March 30.	G H. Wheeler, Auctioneer's License,	2 00
April 9.	Tax Collector of 1887,	98 37
May 28.	Borrowed from Bank,	500 00
Dec. 11.	Corporation Tax,	58 65
Dec. 11.	National Bank Tax,	130 12
Dec. 11.	State Aid,	120 [illegible]
Dec. 21.	Fine for snaring partridges,	10 00
1889.		
Jan. 25.	Dog Fund,	25 32
Jan. 25.	School Fund,	351 67
Jan. 25.	J. H. Langdon, Collector,	2,650 44
Jan. 2[illegible].	F G. Heath,	976 26
		$6,016.90

ELI BILLS, TREASURER. *CR.*

	By paying outstanding orders,	$ 667 04
	New orders by old board,	114 90
	Selectmen's orders for bills of 1887,	153 20
March 30.	Interest on F. Conley note,	40 00
April 17.	C. W. Bryan & Co., for printing,	21 50
May 28.	Discount on note in Bank,	7 75
May 28.	A. M. Dowd, road commissioner,	800 00
Aug. 8,	Note in Bank,	500 00
Oct. 31.	County Tax,	419 00
Dec. 11,	State Tax,	292 50
1889.		
Jan 10,	F G. Heath, Constable, for expense of Fire Investigation,	48 69
	Interest on Fund Society Note,	46 40
	J. A. Brewer, bill of slates,(for school,)	2 40
	Discount on taxes to August 1,	75 05
	" " November 15,	31 29
	School Committee orders,	1,008 70
	Selectmen's orders for current year,	1,501 98
	G. H. Wheeler's road orders, 1887,	8 36
	Abatements,	66 79
	Treasurer's services,	15 00
	Stamps and Stationery,	1 00
	Cash on hand,	195 35
		$6,016 90

ELI BILLS, Treasurer.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

Paid O. W. Cross, for Book Case,	$ 6 50
Freight on Road Machine,	8 28
Harry Clapp, for indexing records,	3 00
Expenses on road case and suits,	46 73
" running Town Line,	13 12
Artemus Dowd, hearse and statistics,	12 00
Sealer of Weights and Measures, and moving same,	6 00
Meeting House Society for Hall,	25 00
Express on Road Machine Blade,	1 15
For Fire Examinations, reports, etc.,	23 00
Russell Wilson, on highways, etc.,	15 00
Frank H. Wright, attorney fees,	5 00
George T. Minor, damage to horse,	4 00
Stamps and Stationery,	2 09
	$170 87

POOR.

Paid Frank and Nancy Grover, for support of Albert Mincely,	$ 96 00
for support of Mr and Mrs. W. H. Morse,	117 43
for support of Will Pinney,	54 00
Nancy A. Heath, for support of Martha Pomeroy,	70 00
Mrs. William E. Hall, for Alice Pinney,	17 91
Mrs. Ellen Olmstead, for board of children,	18 50
Town of Westfield for care of Frank Mincely,	12 80
" Chester " " "	3 00
D. C. Tryon, for keeping tramps,	1 75
Dr. Small, on Wilson case,	60 00
Dr. B. D. Pease, on George Austin,	3 00
" " J. Forrest,	21 00
	$475 39

SCHOOLS.

Paid for cleaning school houses,	$ 4 00
wood and fires,	24 50
carrying scholars,	16 80
slates and lumber for black board,	3 74
School Committee's orders,	1,008 70
Teachers for Spring term,	250 00
	$1,307 74

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Paid Snow bills,	$178 12
Albert Dowd, road commissioner,	800 00
J. H. Langdon & Co., for village bridge,	90 00
J. K. Hadsell, for lumber for bridge,	26 70
H. J. Hall, for railing on new road,	16 00
Silas W. Hyde, for plank on bridge,	8 50
Daniel Leary, repairs to bridge,	1 00
	$1,120 32

TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid M. S. Bidwell, Selectman,	$35 00
H. C. Stedman, Selectman,	25 00
W. H. Minor, Selectman,	15 00
M. V. Thomson, School Committee,	15 00
J. L. Twing, School Committee,	18 00
M. V. Thomson, Assessor,	15 00
M. V. Thomson, expenses,	1 80
George H. Wheeler, Assessor,	9 25
Silas W. Hyde, Assessor,	7 50
H. W. Langdon, Town Clerk, expenses, etc.,	26 35
J. H. Langdon and F. G. Heath, Collecting Taxes,	49 00
	$216 90

ROAD MACHINE.

Paid A. M. Shaw, for Road Machine,	$250 00

RECAPITULATION.

Amount of orders given by Selectmen,		$1,832 52
For support of poor	$475 39	
support of schools	299 04	
highways and bridges,	320 32	
State aid,	100 00	
town officers,	216 90	
contingent expenses	170 87	
road machine	250 00	—$1,832 52

ASSETS OF TOWN.

Cash on hand,	$195 35
Two notes of Town of Monterey,	351 35
Amount due from State Aid,	100 00
Amount school books on hand,	150 00
O. B. Markham, land,	100 00
Hearse,	275 00
Road tools,	25 00
Road machine,	250 00
Due from H. P. Fargo, for grass,	2 00
Due from H. P. Fargo, for note,	29 50
	$1,478 20

LIABILITIES.

Note to Frank Conley,	$1,000 00
Two notes of town to town,	351 35
Note to Fund Society,	775 00
Outstanding orders,	177 34
	$2,303 69
Balance against town,	$825 49

M. S. Bidwell, Wm. H. Minor, H. C. Stedman, } Selectmen of Monterey.

We have examined the accounts of the Selectmen and find them in our opinion, correct and recommend the adoption of the foregoing report.

C. H. Twing, Horace Purdy, H. A. Stedman, } Auditors.

Monterey, February 26th, 1889.

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TREASURER'S REPORT.

1889	ELI BILLS, TREASURER.	*Dr.*
Feb. 23,	For cash on hand at last settlement,	$195 35
Mch. 4,	Received from H. P. Fargo, for grass,	2 00
" 12,	Borrowed from M. S. Bidwell,	300 00
Apr. 6,	Received from Geo. H. Wheeler, auctioneer license,	2 00
" 27,	" " Mm. S. Bidwell, " "	2 00
May 1,	Borrowed from bank,	500 00
June 12,	" " W. S. Bidwell,	300 00
Dec. 16,	Received corporation tax,	58 71
" 17,	" national bank tax,	137 64
" "	" State aid,	112 00
1890		
Jan. 8,	Borrowed from fund society,	150 00
" 28,	Received income from school fund,	303 83
" 31,	" from dog fund,	25 00
Feb. 20,	" " Henry Purdy, collector,	2,828 43
		$4,916 96

1889	ELI BILLS, TREASURER,	*Cr.*
	By paying outstanding orders,	190 18
Mch. 14,	Interest on Frank Conley's note,	40 00
July 26,	Borrowed money and interest,	302 25
Sept. 1,	Note in National Mahaiwe Bank,	500 00
Nov. 1,	County tax,	412 27
Dec. 10,	State tax,	240 00
	Abatements of assessors,	21 68
	Selectmen's orders for current year,	2,685 79
	Treasurer, for services,	15 00
	For stamps and stationery,	1 00
	Cash on hand,	508 79
		$4,916 96

SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

Paid A. M. Shaw, for road machine blade and freight,	$ 8 55
for new ballot system, lumber and work,	6 00
running Town lines New Marlboro and Otis,	12 88
postage and stationery,	10 00
driving hearse, and statistics,	12 00
to Wm. Hall, for wire fence,	3 50
Wm. S. Bidwell, sealer of weights and measures,	5 00
meeting house society for use of basement,	25 00
H. C. Stedman, for work on burying ground,	2 00
J. McMannus, " " "	2 00
Town of New Marlboro on road case,	25 00
Courier office for printing Selectmen's report,	7 00
" " " School committee's report,	5 00
	$123 93

CASH ITEMS FOR TREASURER.

Paid M. S. Bidwell, borrowed money and interest,	$302 50
interest to Fund society on notes,	46 40
" " National Mahaiwe Bank on note,	10 25
	$359 15

POOR.

Paid Susan Grover, for support of Albert Mincely,	$104 00
Nancy Heath for support of Martha Pomeroy,	113 15
James McMannus, for care of W. H. Morse,	145 00
James Noteware, " " "	3 75
Peter Anthony, " " "	50 00
Dr. B. D. Pease, for attendance on W. H. Morse,	9 76
" " " " Lizzie Markham,	2 00
" " " " Elbridge Smith,	5 00
Bidwell & Langdon, for sundries to " "	3 70
" " " support of W. H. Morse,	38 30
" " " clothes for Albert Mincely,	4 75
Mrs. E. J. Goeway, making shirts for W. H. Morse,	75
I. F. Loom, for fresh meat for W. H Morse,	11 44
M. S. Bidwell, care and supplies " "	11 00

Paid F. G. Heath, shoes and expenses for Albert Minceley,		$5 00
Mrs. Wm. E. Hall, for boarding Alice Pinney,		12 00
H. C. Stedman, for looking after " "		4 00
Expense on Maria Wells case,		7 00
Town of Otis, for burying Frank Mincely,		16 00
		$546 60

STATE AID.

Paid Timothy Curtin,	$72 00

SCHOOLS.

Paid Mrs. Ellen Almsted, cleaning school house,	$ 4 00	
Wm. Martin, cleaning school house,	5 00	
Mrs. Alma Hall, cleaning school house,	2 00—	$ 11 30
Chester Burrows, repairing school house,	22 50	
Bert E. Tryon, " " "	13 00	
Wm. Hart, " " "	19 25	
J. H. Bills, " " "	5 00	
J. F. Griswold, " " "	2 85	
J. E. & M. E. Langdon, for lumber,	5 87—	68 47
M. V. Thomson, for school supplies,	75 30	
Bidwell & Langdon, " "	13 04	
J. L. Twing, " "	3 48—	91 82
Miss Lottie Dowd, teaching, $48 and $54	102 00	
Carrie J. Hall, " 50 and 60	110 00	
May Cutting, " 60 and 60	120 00	
Wallace M. Townsend, teaching	55 00	
Ora B. Rewey, "	60 00	
Lucy Shaver, "	40 50	
Lizzie Makeley, teach'g, $84 and $77.34,	161 34—	657 84
Hyland Dowd, for wood for schools,	12 75	
F. Broker, " "	14 50	
A. J. Hall, " "	16 00—	43 25
M. J. Fitzpatrick, for carrying scholars,	11 50	
Fred Forest, " "	5 00	
Wm. Forest, " "	5 00—	21 50
		$893 88

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Paid Albert Dowd, road commissioner,	$613 00
H. C. Stedman, work on bridge,	8 00
M. S. Bidwell, plank for bridges,	9 86
H. J. Hall, work on bridge,	10 00
Geo. W. Shultis, work on bridge,	13 50
Seldon Downs, work on highway,	3 00
F. G. Heath, plank for bridges and sluices,	10 99
Charles Wright, work on road,	3 00
	$671 35

TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid M. S. Bidwell, chairman selectmen,	$35 00
H. C. Stedman, selectman,	8 00
F. G. Heath, "	20 00
M. V. Thomson, assessor,	10 00
Geo. W. Morse, "	16 25
H. P. Fargo, "	14 00
M. V. Thomson, school committee,	9 00
J. L. Twing, " "	19 00
H. W Langdon, Town clerk,	22 95
C. D. Twing, auditor,	3 00
Horace Purdy, "	3 00
H. C. Stedman, "	2 00
	$162 20

RECAPITULATION.

Amount of Orders given by Selectmen,		$2,829 11
For support of poor,	$546 60	
State aid,	72 00	
Highways and bridges,	671 35	
Town officers,	162 20	
Schools,	893 88	
Contingent expenses,	123 93	
Cash items for Treasurer,	359 15—	2,829 11

ASSETS OF TOWN.

Cash on hand,	$508 79	
Notes of Town for school fund,	351 35	
Amount due for State aid,	72 00	
School books on hand,	150 00	
O. B. Markham, land,	75 00	
Hearse,	250 00	
Road tools and machine,	275 00	
H. P. Fargo's note,	58 50	
Due from Henry Purdy, collector,	60 00—	$1,800 64
Balance against the Town,		763 03
		$2,563 67

LIABILITIES.

Note to Frank Conley,	$1,000 00
Notes to Town for school fund,	351 35
Fund society,	925 00
Outstanding orders,	140 32
Due to school teachers and for supplies,	147 00
	$2,563 67

M. S. BIDWELL, H. C. STEDMAN, F. G. HEATH, Selectmen of Monterey,

Monterey, February 20th, 1890.